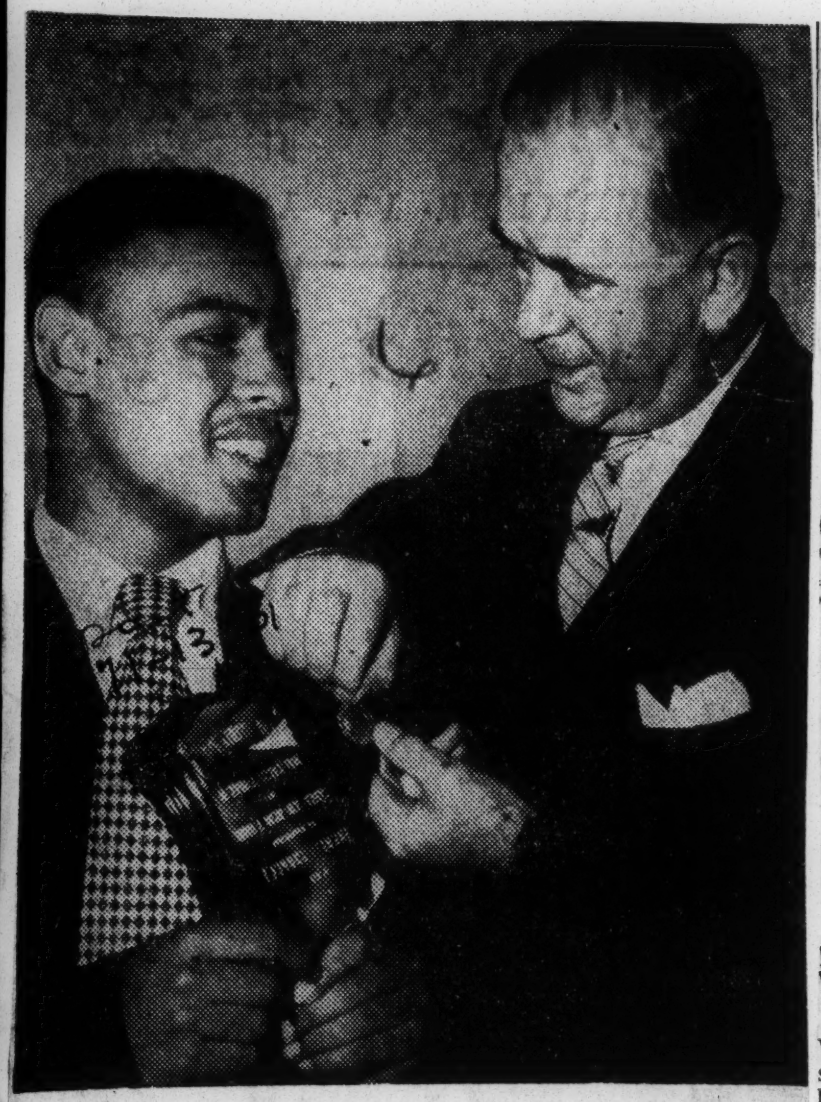

The Washington Post

COMMISSIONER DONOHUE — CEPHAS VAUGHN

Boy Gets National Recognition for Heroic Act.

Rescuer of Twins Gets Award

Cephas Vaughn, 14, who carried two infants from a burning Northeast home last month, was honored yesterday on a Nationwide television broadcast.

Vaughn, who attends Kelly Miller Junior High School and lives at 307 Lowrie pl. ne., received an "Alert Youth" placque on the Nancy's Notebook over WNBW.

Presented by Commissioner F. Joseph Donohue, the award was established a year ago by the National Association of Mutual Insurance Agents.

Cephas, who was cited previously by the Junior Police and Citizens Corps, performed his heroic deed on the night of October 13.

Angeline and Angelene Mason, 21-month-old daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mason, were alone in a burning bedroom in a house behind 616 50th st. ne.

After two other youths failed to reach the babies, Cephas entered the room alone. Guided by their whimpering he found the girls, and brought them to safety. The boy later fainted from smoke inhalation.

Both girls were critically burned and Angeline died on October 31.

Receives Award For Saving Infants

WASHINGTON. — (ANP) — Cephas Vaughan, 14 year old youth who saved twin babies from a flaming building, last week received a national award for valor.

He was presented the "Alert Youth" award of the National Association of Mutual Insurance Agents in ceremonies at television station WNBW.

Vaughan became the 10th person in the nation to win the award when he rushed into a burning home here to rescue the 21-month-old twin daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mason. Two other persons had attempted the rescue but had been driven back by the fire.

Sounds of a baby crying led him to one of the infants. He started out with the one not realizing that there were two until he heard the second one cry behind him. He turned back, scooped up the second one and left the burning building.

After turning the children over to someone else, he fainted from smoke inhalation. Firemen, who had arrived while he was inside, revived him on the scene.

VALOR AWARD GIVEN YOUTH WHO SAVED 2TOTS' LIVES

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Dr. Mays Wins Ecumenical Honor

ATLANTA, Ga. — Dr. Benjamin Mays, president of Morehouse College, was one of the 11 men and women from eight southern states to win ecumenical awards last week during the three-day session of the Southeastern Convocation of Churches.

Backed by the National Council of Churches of Christ in the U.S.A., the awards, first of their kind, were awarded for "unique and distinguished service to Christianity by advancing the growing spirit of cooperation between the churches and Christians."

The meeting drew some 800 delegates from churches and councils of churches in 10 Southern States—Alabama, North and South Carolina, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Mississippi, Tennessee, Virginia and West Virginia—as well as a score of top national church leaders.

75 Year Old Richmond Woman Honored by Pope.

Richmond, Va.-Pope Pius XII has awarded Mrs. Lydia Nichols, 75, a daughter of freed slaves, papal honors in recognition of her 47 years of service as a mission teacher.
She will receive the Pro Ecclesia et Pontifice (for the church and the pontiff) Medal at ceremonies in St.Joseph's Church here June 5. The Most Rev.Peter L. Ireton,Bishop of the Diocese of Richmond will make the presentation. Mrs.Nichols is retiring after having taught at a Catholic Mission school in Columbia since 1904. A woman of diverse activities, she not only has been a teacher, but also has been a caretaker and organist at Columbia Church, a step-mother for four children, a foster mother for 15, and dietitian for a now-disbanded camp for boys. The medal was originated in 1888 as a memorial of the Golden Jubilee of Pope Leo XIII.

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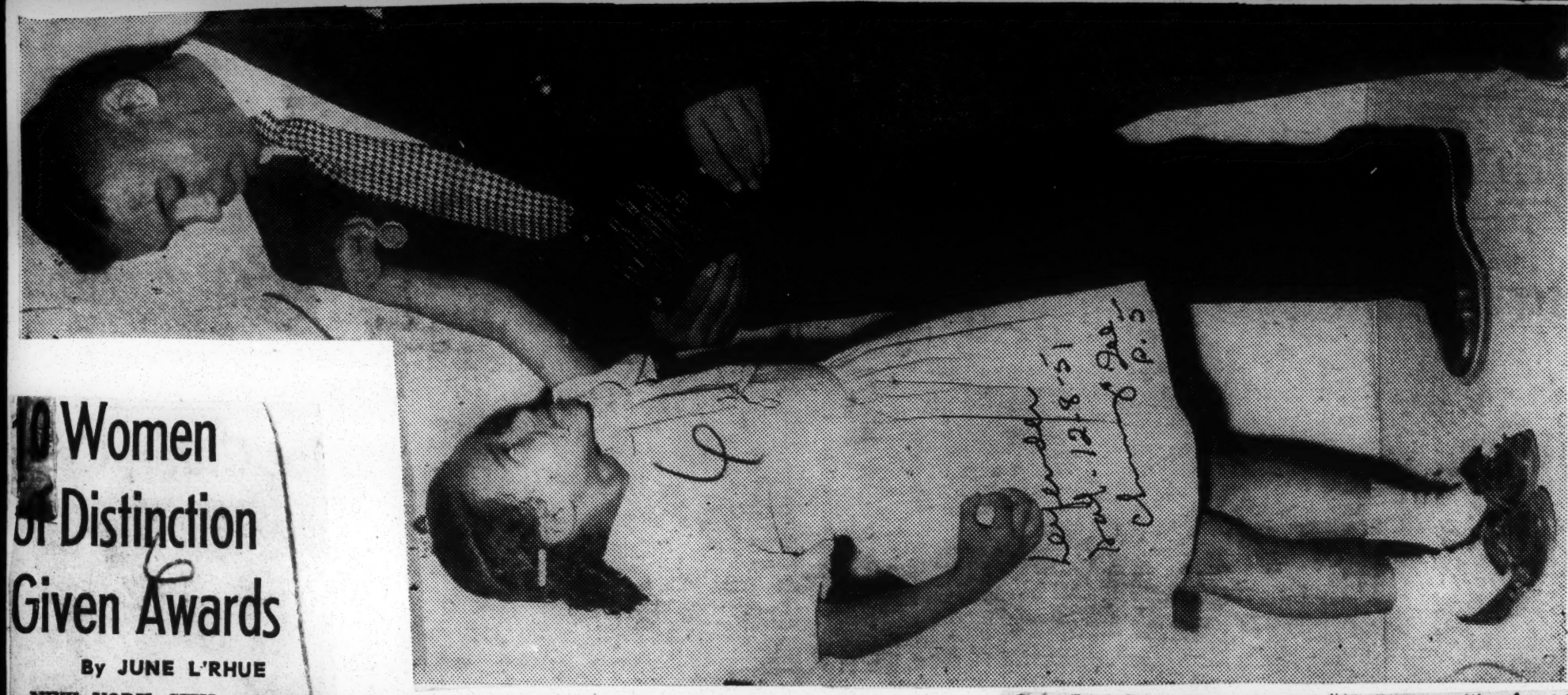

HERO'S AWARD—Gloria Jean admires the medal for bravery worn by her brother, Cephus Vaughn, 14-year-old Washington, D.C., youth. Vaughn won the 10th Alert Youth Award of the National Association of Mutual Insurance Agents for saving twin baby girls from a burning home without regard for his own safety.

10 Women of Distinction Given Awards

By JUNE L'RHUE

NEW YORK CITY, (GLOBAL) —Belvedere roof of New York's Hotel Astor was the elegant setting of a magnifient dinner sponsored Tuesday evening by Women for Achievement. to present annual awards and citations to women who have distinguished themselves in world, national, and state affairs.

The Hon. Edith Spurlock Sampson, alternate delegate to the UN, received the International Award. Frances Payne Bolton, was recipient of the national award. Jane H. Todd, deputy commissioner of commerce of New York and chairman of the Woman's Council of the Department of Commerce of the State of New York, received a state award.

Mrs. J. Ida Jiggetts, author of a book titled "Religion, Diet and Health of Jews" also received a state award.

Charles Garside, former Chairman of New York State Committee against Discrimination and acting President of the University of New York State, presented the awards and citations.

In words of gratitude for the tribute paid her, Edith Sampson said, "I came all the way from Chicago to receive this Award."

Mrs. Sampson Disturbed

Good-naturedly referring to men as the armchair strategists of the world, the UN Delegate asserted a firm belief in the superiority of women in positions of leadership. She said further, that she was disturbed about the position of America, adding that she felt keenly her responsibility to try to keep America free.

Jane Todd who has won distinction, love and respect for orientating New York women in the "know how" of running businesses, upon receiving her Award said, "I love being a part of the Government." And she gave credit for the tribute paid her to the hundreds of women who have worked so loyally with her, making it clear her program cut through all barriers of race, creed, or color.

Mrs. Jiggets, who received the other State award, and who was highlighted in the remarks of Rabbi Simon Greenberg said she owed much credit to the individuals who had assisted her with her book. "I'd like to tear the Award into precious bits so each could have a part.

Congressman Bolton was unable to attend and Mrs. Carl T. Hogan accepted the award for her and read a telegram from Mrs. Bolton.

Mrs. Whaley Heard

The main speaker of the occasion was New York's Board of Estimate Secretary, the Honorable Ruth W. Whaley, whose subject was "Salute to Women."

Mrs. Whaley saluted the courage, integrity, and perseverance of women, who are making the contributions that will bring about the inevitable on-coming peace. She recommended the eternal verities as the starting point for all women who would achieve in the spirt of sisterhood.

Eight women given citations for outstanding achievement were:

Mrs. Grace Bamonte, personnel manager, B. A. Altman; Dr. Marie Elizabeth Carpenter, Author; Mrs. Helen Evans, President, National Council of Women of U.S.; Miss Eleanor V. Maxwell, Port of New York Authority; Mrs. Lovey Ada Milligan, Volunteer Services; Miss Esther Parham, Founder President, National Beauty Supply; Miss Martha Roundtree, Radio and Television Artist; and Hon. Hilda Schwartz, Magistrate, NYC.

Mother Honored

Mrs. Henry Beard Delaney received the mothers' citation, for her deep devotion to her family and her laudable work in the Church.

Novella McGhee, outstanding singer, and Ruth Negri, harpist, enhanced the enjoyment of the occasion with beautiful music.

Mrs. Sadye J. Williams, founder of Women for Achievement, received much praise for her vision, and achievement. Mrs. Williams is member of the New York State Woman's Council and numerous other organizations.

Helen M. Clark, first vice president of the Women For Achievement, presided during the evening. Carmel Carrington Marr gave a warm welcome.

Catholic Group Award Winner

Delaware Body Gets Lane Bryant Prize

NEW YORK—The annual $1,000 Lane-Bryant Award was presented last week to the Catholic Interracial Council of Wilmington, Del., by Raphael Malsin, Lane-Bryant president, at a luncheon in Hotel Plaza.

Charles P. Taft, Republican candidate for Governor of Ohio and principal speaker, said it was appropriate that the award should be given to "a religious group whose motive is the application of the principles in which it believes to the puzzling problems of everyday life."

Religion condems prejudice, Mr. Taft asserted, adding: "That goes whether you are a Catholic, Protestant or Jew and if you claim any other great religion, it insists that every human personality is sacred and entitled to protection and to the chance to develop."

Achievements Cited

Cited by Mr. Malsin as among the council's achievements were abolition of segregation in many of Delaware's private high schools and theatres, providing scholarships for colored students and its work towards increasing employment opportunities for colored workers.

Other community groups and one individual receiving honorable mentions were the Hyde Park Kenwood Community Conference of Chicago, the Fountain House Foundation and Citizens' Committee on Children, both of NYC, and the Rev. R. Norman Hughes of Bay City, Mich.

The Hyde Park-Kenwood group was cited for its "harmonious absorption of colored families" into a formerly all-white neighborhood. Fountain House, for rehabilitation of mental patients; the Committee on Children, child welfare work; Mr. Hughes, for leading a volunteer housing campaign.

Dr. Roscoe C. Brown Honored With Superior Service Award

Dr. Roscoe C. Brown, who as been connected with the U. S. Public Health Service for a number of years, was honored last week with an award for his "exceptional diligence and accomplishments in the field of public health" at ceremonies held in Washington, D. C. He was presented the "Superior Service Award" which is a silver medal, the second highest award of the Federal Security Agency.

Left to right in the photo are Dr. Leonard Scheele, surgeon general, public Health Service FSA; Dr. Brown, Public Health Service, FSA, and Oscar R. Ewing, Federal Security Administrator, who presented the award.

ACHIEVEMENT AWARD FUND ESTABLISHED

Memphis, Tenn. World

NEW YORK — (ANP) — A new achievement award for recognition and encouragement of meritorius and unselfish service toward aiding mankind has been established, R. J. Schaefer, president of the F. and M Schaefer Brewing company, announced this week. P. 5

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Candidates for the award include persons who have, without fanfare, publicity or financial return achieved concrete results in raising the dignity and equality of men.

A committee of distinguished citizens and leaders shall determine the recipients of the award. The committee includes: Oct 21-51

Dr. Louis Wright, president of the Medical Board of Harlem hospital; Dr. C. B. Powell, publisher of the New York Amsterdam News; the Rev. John LaFarge, associate Editor of America; James Watson, president of the New York civil service commission; Myles Paige, judge of special sessions court, and Maximilian Moss, president of the Board of Education, New York.

Dr. R. C. Brown Gets Award For Public Service

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By NNPA News Service

WASHINGTON, D. C. — Dr. Roscoe C. Brown of the United States Public Health Service last week received an award for superior service in his work, the second highest award of the Federal Security Agency.

The award for "exceptional diligence and accomplishments in the field of public health" was presented to Dr. Brown by Federal Security Administrator Oscar R. Ewing.

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Dr. Brown was educated at Howard University where he received a degree of doctor of dentistry in 1906. He took further courses at Columbia University and Harvard.

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HIS EXPERIENCE included service as a consultant to the U. S Army on health problems during World War I, and as director of colored work on venereal disease, Public Health Service.

In the latter post, he developed a program of social hygiene. He has specialized in health activities in states and communities with large colored populations.

Dr. Brown served as executive secretary of the National Medical Association. He now holds the position of health education consultant in the Public Health Service.

For a number of years Dr. Brown has directed the annual observance of National Negro Health Week in which doctors, nurses and others have participated over a wide area of the the United States. He once practiced his profession in Richmond, Va.

Jewish Women To Honor Jo Baker Dec. 17

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Josephine Baker and former congresswoman Emily Taft Douglas will headline the 15th annual Hanukkah breakfast of the Chicago Women's Division of the American Jewish Congress, Dec. 17. The famous star will fly in from Cleveland to be present at the breakfast, one of the outstanding events of the Jewish community of this city.

Miss Baker will receive a citation honoring her for her activities in bettering race relations and other services in behalf of minority groups. The breakfast will be held in the grand ballroom of the Conrad Hilton hotel, and is expected to attract over 1,500 guests.

Establish Awards For Unselfish Aid To Man

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The Catholic Interracial Council of Wilmington, Del., has been awarded the 1950 award of the $1,000 Lane Bryant Annual Award in recognition of outstanding volunteer service to their community. Pictured at the presentation of the award are (left to right) Raphael Malsin, president, Lane Bryant, Inc.; Major William Duffy, first president, now on active duty with the Air Force (representing the 1950 recipient of the award); Mary Elizabeth Power, president of the Catholic Interracial Council of Wilmington. (NC Photos)

Industrialist Given Award

Adm. Walter A. Buck (standing), vice president and general manager of the RCA-Victor Division, as he accepted an award given his company by "Ebony" magazine in recognition of its fair employment practices. At the banquet table in Chicago's Blackstone Hotel are (left to right) L. E. Swanson, RCA-Victor, Detroit; W. O. Walker, editor, Cleveland Call Post; John H. Johnson, publisher, "Ebony;" Adm. Buck; James M. Toney, director of public relations, RCA-Victor; Dowdal Davis, president; Negro Newspapers Publishers Association; Walter Norton, president, RCA-Victor Distributing Corp.; Willard Townsend, international president, United Transport Workers, CIO, and Harold Renholm, regional manager, RCA-Victor.

Wesleyan Guild Gives Plaque to Dr. Bethune

PHILADELPHIA

The Philadelphia District Wesleyan Service Guild presented Dr. Mary McLeod Bethune in absentia with a Plaque at its Annual Easter Monday Fellowship Dinner.

Mrs. Olivia Henry accepted the plaque in her place. Mrs. Henry is a former president of the National Council of Negro Women, a prominent member of the AME Church and a teacher in the public schools.

The Delta Sigma Theta Sorority presented an orchid corsage which Mrs. Henry wore for Dr. Bethune.

Tindley Temple Guild Chorus furnished the music under the direction of Miss Lida Lee. Guests included:

Mrs. L. B. Jewett, Conference Treasurer of the Woman's Society of Christian Service and Board member of the Woman's Division of Christian Service; Miss Adalyn Brown, Conference Secretary of Status of Woman's Society; Mrs. Mary Peaker, District President of the Woman's Society; Mrs. Mary Louise Hudson District Promotion secretary; Mrs. Frances Crampton, District Literature Secretary; Mrs. Bertha Evans, District Guild Secretary of Wilmington District; Miss Elizabeth Davison, Philadelphia Conference Secretary Miss Helen Singleton former Philadelphia Guild Secretary, and Miss Wilma E. Gaines, Delaware Conference Guild Secretary.

Ministers present were the Revs. R. L. Crampton, Noah Moore, M. O. Ballard, and the Superintendent of the Philadelphia District, Dr L. S. Moore.

Guilds present were from Tindley Temple, Zoar, James, John Wesley, Anna Wilson Camphor Haven, St. Johns, Newark; St. Marks, Montclair; and Mt. Joy, Wilmington.

The Dinner committee was composed of: Essie Bell, Helen Harris, Minnie Ellis, Mary G. Roberts, Frances Williams Ernestine Harris, Lucille Summey, Gladys Warrington, Alice McAliley, Mary Peaker Mazie Evans, Wilma A. Gaines, and Edna Jackson District Secretary of the Philadelphia District who was Chairman of the Dinner.

CONCERT AT CLUB

concerts as part of the cultural program of the Pyramid Club will be held on Sunday, April 8.

The concerts are presented by the entertainment committee with Dr. Wilbur F. Strickland, as chairman. Pyramidian Wives will be hostesses.

Richard Jones, violinist, featured artist, will be accompanied by Miss Ruth Williams.

Walcott Hickok Award Winner

NEW YORK — Jersey Joe Walcott won the Hickok Award as pro athlete of the month in July for his stunning upset of Ezzard Charles. The 37-year-old heavyweight champion had a wide margin over Randy Turpin, who dethroned Sugar Ray Robinson at London.

Others receiving votes were Clyde Vollmer, Boston Red Sox; Bobby Feller, Cleveland; Allie Reynolds and Johnny Mize, New York Yankees, pitcher Sandy Koufax and heavyweight Rocky Marciano.

Kitty Hall Is Award Winner

BALTIMORE, Md.—One of nine persons to receive citations at the Fourth Annual International Award Dinner, sponsored by the National Negro Trade Association to be held in Baltimore on Oct. 14, is Mrs. Kitty Hall of 4424 Cottage avenue, St. Louis, Mo.

The purpose of the dinner is to honor outstanding citizens for meritorious work in their communities, according to H. Holland Fields, director of the association.

The dinner will be held at the great Masonic Temple. Others to receive citations include Rosa C. Dickerson, Fort Worth, Tex.;

Negro Boy Scout Saves White Child

DECATUR, Ala., Feb. 16—(AP)—A 12-year-old Negro Boy Scout Friday swept a 4-year-old white boy from certain death beneath the wheels of an approaching train.

Afterwards the scout, Nathan Tate, commented surprisedly, "Why I saved that little boy's life."

Mrs. Brent Reece said she, her husband and children had gone to the station to see relatives off on a train when her son, Lowell, wandered onto the track.

Mrs. Reece said she looked up to see Lowell standing in the train's path but before anyone else could act, Tate had carried the child to safety.

Motley Gets Arts Award

PHILADELPHIA —(ANP)— Willard Motley, author of the dynamic novel "Knock On Any Door," was presented one of the "Salute to The Arts" awards Thursday night by the Philadelphia Fellowship commission at a well-attended dinner at the Bellevue Stratford hotel.

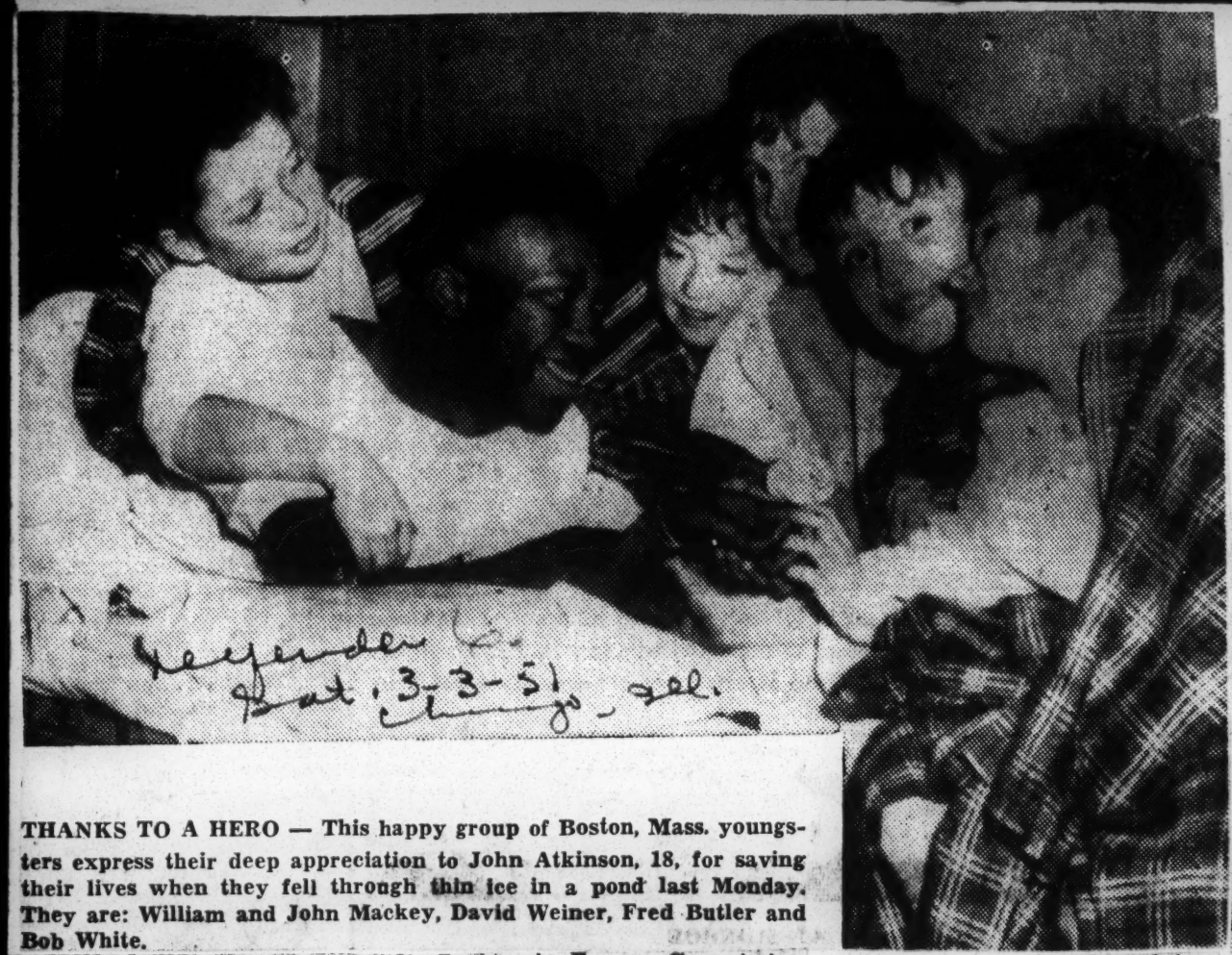
Motley was introduced by Nigel O. C. Wolff, first vice president of the International Institute of Philadelphia. Wolff also made the presentation to the famous writer.

Motley's contribution to the arts was quoted and described as "you build communities worthy of men made in the image of God."

A second book by the Chicago writer is just off the presses. The title is "We Fished All Night." The story deals with the loves of three men before and after World War Two. The setting is one infested with the political stench of the western city.

Motley is a native hicagoan. He is a former radio script writer, traveler and adventurer. During his high school days he stood out as the "little iron man" as a football and baseball player.

The writer rode a bicycle from Chicago to New York and worked at odd jobs such as janitor, short order cook and elevator boy during the years he built material for his first book.



THANKS TO A HERO — This happy group of Boston, Mass. youngsters express their deep appreciation to John Atkinson, 18, for saving their lives when they fell through thin ice in a pond last Monday. They are: William and John Mackey, David Weiner, Fred Butler and Bob White.

Dr. John B. King Honored For Work

NEW YORK—Dr. John B. King, who last week was nominated for assistant superintendent of the New York City school system, was among 17 natives of Brooklyn awarded "Youth Oscars." The awards were made at the annual "Inspirational Dinner" of Youth United in the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel.

The 117 were selected by the award committee because of their outstanding accomplishments. The Youth United, which functions through eight Brooklyn Settlement Houses, was formed three years ago to combat juvenile delinquency "by building better citizens of tomorrow." Supreme Court Justice George J. Beldock is president.

Dr. King was honored for his community service. Others receiving "Oscars" included Barbara Stanwyck, film star; Eleanor Holm (Mrs. Billy Rose) aquatic Olympic champion; Lawrence Spivak, publisher of Mercury Publications; Dr. Alexander Weiner, co-discoverer of R-H blood factor; James G. McDonald, first Ambassador to Israel; Thomas E. Murray, member of the U. S. Atomic Energy Commission and Charles Pratt, president of Pratt Institute.

Negro janitor wins money-saving award

A Birmingham Negro janitor today received the plaudits of those who employ him and an award of $125 for his suggestion which saves his employers money.

He is Thomas E. Wood, Sr., employe of the 2587th Air Force Reserve Training Center here. Lt. Col. Frederick J. Wesson, commanding officer, presented the award in a ceremony at the air base today.

Wood compounded a solution which by one operation will both clean and wax asphalt flooring. Col. Wesson said use of this solution at the Birmingham base alone will result in savings of about $3,500 a year.

Its use throughout the Air Force —and it has been adopted for use at every base—will bring savings in proportion to its use.

Wood, who lives at 718 North 10th Street, came from a family in which patriotism was evident and which was transmitted to him. He served in World War I and had a son in World War II. His grandfather served in the War Between the States, and his father in the Spanish-American War.

After working for 15 years in the Birmingham postoffice, Wood sold insurance three years and then was employed for three years by the U. S. Public Health Service.

He is script writer and narrator for a weekly radio program "Songs of Inspiration."

Baltimore Hero Plaque To Bear Negro's Name

By the Associated Press

BALTIMORE, Nov. 23.—A 23-year-old Baltimore Negro will be the first to have his name inscribed on a hero's plaque to be displayed in the Mayor's office.

Mayor Thomas D'Alesandro said Leroy Venson will get a certificate for heroism in the rescue of two small boys from a fire Thursday. Mr. Venson tried vainly to save the boy's 11-month-old sister, who burned to death on the second floor of their home.

Mayor D'Alesandro said he is having the plaque made to honor citizens who distinguish themselves in a heoric manner.

CITED: Edward Gardiner, 17, of 197 St. Nicholas Ave., receives Police Athletic League citation from Police Commissioner Thomas F. Murphy for helping the cops catch a holdup man. Young Gardiner, a student at Haaren High School and a member of PAL for six years, ran down his bicycle, kept search light on him till police arrived. Looking on at today's ceremony was Deputy Commissioner James P. Nolan, president of PAL. Citation said Edward's heroic act serves as an inspiration to our youth.

Photo by Stieglitz.

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Boy Worms Way 10 Feet Down Foot-Wide Pipe to Save Baby

Associated Press wirephotos

Mrs. Thomas Hensley and son, Dale, thirteen months, after rescue by Alvin Julian (right)

REDWOOD CITY, Calif., March 23 (UP).—A skinny fifteen-year-old boy who wormed his way head down into a foot-wide drainpipe to rescue a baby, was rewarded today with an honorary sheriff's badge.

The boy, Alvin Julian, 120-pound high-school boxing champion, had the badge pinned on in a ceremony at the sheriff's office. Officers had to trace the youth to his home after he modestly slipped away from the scene of yesterday's rescue.

The child, thirteen-month-old Dale Hensley, fell about ten feet down the eighteen-foot pipe while his mother stopped to chat with a friend. The mother called firemen and police when she heard the baby wailing inside the pipe.

Police lowered three boys into the hole before Julian volunteered. Two officers held his legs while the 5-foot 8-inch youth worked his way down the pipe head first. On the third try, Julian came up with the baby in his arms. The child was frightened and scratched, but that was all, after thirty minutes in the pipe.

"I just wiggled and shrugged my shoulders," Julian said before he left the scene.

Boy Hero Made Deputy Sheriff

Associated Press WIREPHOTO

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FOUR AGRICULTURE WORKERS GET USDA SERVICE AWARDS.

Washington-Four outstanding colored agricultural workers rece ved Superior Service Awards here last week from the U.S. Department of Agricultire at special ceremonies on the Monument Grounds before a c rowd of 4,000. .... Presentation was made by Secretary Charles F. Brannan. .. The four colored employees who were honored are: Mrs. Homoselle R. Jarvis, scientific aide of the Bureau of Home Economics and Human Nutrition; Mrs. Lea Etta Lusk, County Home Demonstration Agent of the Texas State Extension Service; John W. Jeffries, assistant State Agent of the North Carolina Extension Service; and James P. Davis, administrative officer of the Production and Marketing Administration.

The Superior Service Award is the second highest honor that the Department of Agrciulture accords its employees. Prior to this year, only two other Negro workers have received this award. They are T.M. Campbell, field agent of the USDA Extension Service; and Otis S. O'Neal former county agent at-large of Georgia.

One colored employee, Luther W. McLeod of Washington received a length of service award. He served the Dept., almost exactly 40 years, entering its employ on May 1, 1911. ...

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NATIVE GEORGIAN WINS PSYCHIATRIC AWARD

GREYSTONE PARK, N. J.-(SNS) -A psychiatric technician at the New Jersey State Hospital, Mrs Forrest L. Adams, has been named "Psychiatric Technician of 1950." This national award was given her by the National Association for Mental Health, Inc., Elihu Root, president.

This honor, together with $500 cash and a citation, is made annually during Mental Health Week The award was made at a luncheon in New York's Park-Sheraton Hotel. Miss receiving an award was Olivia DeHaviland for her performance in "The Snake Pit."

During the presentation, newsreel pictures were made. A portion of her career will be the basis of a radio serial and she is expected to appear on television in the near future.

Winning this honor, Mrs. Adams was selected from a great number of psychiatric technicians, institutional charge attendants and other institutional workers throughout the country.

She was nominated by her coworkers at the New Jersey hospital for her "outstanding citizenship by participating in the life of the hospital and community."

A native of Georgia, Mrs. Adams completed her high school work in Atlanta and attended Atlanta University. She enrolled for psychiatric technician training in April, 1947 and completed it in 1948.

She is vice president of the Psychiatric Technicians Chapter at the hospital where she is employed.

To be nominated for consideration, the technician must show skill, initiative and imagination; kindness and devotion to patients; citizenship and evidences of outstanding services.

MRS. ROOSEVELT GETS GOLD MEDAL

United Jewish Appeal Makes Presentation for Services as Special Chairman

Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt received a gold medal last night from the United Jewish Appeal of Greater New York at a dinner in the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel. Contributions of more than $28,000,000 since Feb. 1, when the campaign started, were announced.

The medal and a bound volume of reports from the chairmen of 300 campaign units were given to Mrs. Roosevelt because of her services as the drive's special chairman for June and for her work for the advancement of human freedom. Pledges of $1,000,000 during the period Mrs. Roosevelt served as special chairman were made known.

Mrs. Roosevelt expressed confidence that the 1951 drive, which is to continue, would prove successful. The United Jewish Appeal of Greater New York aims to raise the metropolitan area's share of nearly $214,000,000 for the 1951 needs of ten major agencies and institutions.

The four general chairmen, Louis Broido, Samuel Hausman, Jerome I. Udell and Jack D. Weiler, in a statement to Mrs. Roosevelt said:

"We are greatly indebted to you for taking an active part in this year's campaign as our June chairman. Your leadership has been an important factor in the considerable progress made so far and we know that your unique services will be reflected in the final outcome of the 1951 drive."

A cable from David Ben Gurion, Prime Minister of Israel, described Mrs. Roosevelt as "that illustrious personage and great humanitarian, who brings honor to her country and represents all that is noble in the United States."

Mr. Broido called for full support of the 1951 campaign. He stressed the emergency requirements for immigration and resettlement in Israel, pointing out that emigration deadlines in Middle Eastern and Eastern European countries place in jeopardy Jews who hope to find a haven and a new life in Israel.

Mr. Udell described the response obtained throughout the drive as a clear indication that the people of New York are willing to give the United Jewish Appeal the all-out support it must have to achieve its objectives.

DR. THEILER

Rockefeller Doctor Wins Nobel Prize

STOCKHOLM, Sweden, Oct. 18 (U.P.)—Dr. Max Theiler of the Rockefeller Foundation, New York, today won the 1951 Nobel Prize for Medicine for his research aimed at making yellow fever almost an extinct disease.

The prize—world's highest medical distinction—was awarded after 35 members of the Teachers College of the Carolean Institute met secretly to choose the winner.

The 52-year-old South African-born scientist will receive a cash prize of $32,357 and prestige and benefits considered to be worth many times that.

Theiler is director of the Division of the Medicine and Public Health Laboratory of the Rockefeller Foundation. He is a native of Pretoria, South Africa.

He was educated in Pretoria and studied medicine at St. Thomas Hospital, London, before coming to the U. S. in 1922. He attended Harvard University from 1922 to 1930.

Theiler then joined the Rockefeller Foundation to work on yellow fever vaccine. His project achieved success in 1937. He is still a South African citizen, is married and has one daughter, Elizabeth, 13.

The scientific and literary awards will be made Nov. 15 and the Peace Prize will be awarded soon.

The awards were provided for in the will of Alfred Nobel Swedish explosives inventor, who died in 1899.

The citation of award, which also covers the field of physiology, noted the fact that "Theiler's virus," was useful in treating infantile paralysis.

Wide medical interest was attracted when it was found his virus bore a great resemblance to polio virus, and studies of it led to new theories on the cause of polio.

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NEW YORK, Oct. 18 (U.P.)—Dr. Max Theiler expressed amazement today when informed he had been awarded the Nobel Prize.

Theiler, 52, was at work when he was told of the honor. Almost shyly, he described how he had discovered his vaccine, which conquered yellow fever.

"Once it ws known the fever was mosquito-borne, which the American Army Commission found out in Cuba in the Spanish-American War, the problem was not so great," he said.

He has developed two yellow fever vaccines, with which an estimated 50,000,000 people have been inoculated.

League Names Winners Of 4 Fellowships

Dr. Sadie T. M. Alexander, chairman of the Fellowship committee of the National Urban League, has announced the League's four fellowship awards for the school year 1951-52.

Awards went to Doris P. Carnegie, of East Orange, N. J., attending the University of Pittsburgh on a joint University of Pittsburg-Urban League of Pittsburgh grant; Nellie W. Hamm, of Cleveland, attending Western Reserve university and Maida Springer of Brooklyn, N. Y., attending Ruskin college, Oxford, England, both on grants from Adam Hat company; and to Vivian G. Powell of Queens, New York, attending the New York School of Social Work at Columbia university, on funds from the Ella Sachs Plotz legacy.

Dr. Alexander also stated that the League would continue for another year an Adam Hat company grant to George Davis of Morristown, N. J., and a Benezet House Association fellowship to Della Bell of Philadelphia, both of whom are studying at the New York School of Social Work.

Robert S. Abbott Memorial Award

W. Va. Girl Wins '51 Abbott Award

Defender Dat. 8-25-51

Nina Redd, 18-year-old School of Journalism senior at Lincoln university (Mo.), has been named winner of the 1951 Robert S. Abbott Memorial award, given annually by the Chicago Defender for study at the Lincoln university School of Journalism.

Miss Redd, honor student since her arrival at Lincoln

NINA REDD

in 1948, grabbed a choice plum three years ago when she won a four-year all expense-paid Pepsi-Cola Scholarship for journalism study at Lincoln at the conclusion of her high school work at Iaeger, W. Va. This fall she will add to her already sturdy educational support a $500 scholarship in journalism—the Robert S. Abbott Memorial award. The award, usually $400, was increased this year by John H. Sengstacke, Defender publisher.

Sixth Honored

The 1951 winner, sixth to be so honored, was named editor-in-chief of the Lincoln Clarion last spring for the fall term.

Miss Redd is the third girl to win the Abbott scholarship. The two former ones are married. Mamie Ruth Rhone, BJ '48, served two years as city editor of the St. Paul Recorder before joining her husband in Oklahoma, where she is pursuing graduate work in journalism at the State university. Lela Knox Shanks; BJ '49, serves the St. Louis News as a desk editor.

Three Male Winners

The three male winners are all employed by newspapers. Otis Thompson, BJ '50, has the assistant city editor spot with the St. Louis Argus. Kanu C. Okoro, who had earned both bachelor's and master's degrees before coming to Lincoln for journalism study, returned to his native Nigeria, British West Africa, to edit the West African Pilot after receiving the bachelor of journalism degree at Lincoln in 1950.

The recent holder of the Abbott award, S. Lee Blackwell, a 1950 Johnson C. Smith university graduate, gained his BJ at Lincoln in June and is with the Chicago Defender for a summer internship.

5 Win Music Scholarships

NEW YORK — (ANP) — Five young singers have been named winners of the Marian Anderson Scholarship Fund Awards for 1951, Alyse Anderson, fund secretary announced this week.

Miss Georgia Ann Laster of Los Angeles placed first among the 203 contestants and received the $1,000 award. Second prize went to Herbert Gantt of Boston, Mass., while Misses Gloria Davy, Brooklyn; Doris Mayes, Philadelphia, and Jan Gbur, New York tied for third place.

Lois Raye Wins Second Marian Anderson Prize

LOIS RAYE

Miss Lois Raye, 20-year-old contralto and 1950 Marian Anderson award winner, won her second consecutive Marian Anderson award when she competed against the award winners of the previous years recently in Philadelphia.

Special auditions were held at the Ethical Culture Society auditorium in Pittenhouse Square and news of winning first place came to her by telegram at her home, 6317 Aberdeen st., a short time ago.

Miss Raye has studied in New York, Philadelphia and Chicago. At present, she is studying with Miss Dasha Malinoff in Chicago. She has sung leading roles with the Dra-Mu Opera Company of Philadelphia and has appeared in concerts both in New York and Philadelphia.

Annual Railway Progress Employee Award
"Railroad Man of the Year"

Pullman Porter Selected As Railroad Man of Year'; Mrs. Barkley Presents Award

WASHINGTON, D. C. — The Federation for Railway Progress announced this week the selection of Albert J. Lively, Pullman porter of Louisville, Ky., as "Railroad Man of the Year."

Mrs. Alben Barkley, wife of the Vice President of the United States, was scheduled to present Porter Lively with a $100 U. S. War Bond and a gold medal in brief ceremonies Wednesday morning, March 7, at the offices of the Federation in Washington.

The Annual Railway Progress Employee award is presented to a railroad employee who has distinguished himself in rendering continuous outstanding service and courtesy to the traveling public. Recipients are selected from among the winners of the Federation's 12 monthly awards who, in turn, are chosen from commendations received by the ERP Passenger Relations Department.

After a trip from Louisville to Washington on the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway, Mrs. Barkley wrote to Robert R. Young, Chairman of the Federation for Railway Progress, as follows: "Porter Lively was by far the nicest and most efficient porter I have ever encountered in my many years of travel. He is worth his weight in gold. Without being at all obsequious he anticipated my every need — [illegible] was not the only one; I heard him all up and down my car inquiring of this one and that one what he could do to make them more comfortable." J. P. Leach, Assistant Vice President of the Pullman Company reported that A. J. Lively had a very good record and many commendatory reports had been made concerning him.

Lively, who is now on the Louisville-Atlanta run of the Louisville and Nashville Railroad, came to work with the Pullman Company in 1924 and has served continuously since then. Before he joined Pullman he studied theology at the Simmons Theological university in Louisville and became an ordained Baptist minister.

In 1920 he married Anna B. Taylor of Covington, Ky., and together they continue his evangelistic work throughout the state of Kentucky when Lively is not working his sleeping car. Mrs. Lively directs the singing during the meeting and helps him meet his rigorous schedule. At 61, the minister-porter leads a busy life. He owns a five-room cottage in Louisville surrounded by large lawns and gardens. His hobby is raising many species of flowers.

'MAN OF YEAR.'—Albert J. Lively, Pullman porter of Louisville, Ky., who has been selected "Railroad Man of the Year" by the Federation for Railway Progress of Washington, D. C.

In 1948 the award went to Warren E. Walsh of Trenton, N. J., a Pennsylvania Railroad trainman, and last year it was presented to John H. Newman, Stationmaster, New York Central System, Watertown, New York.

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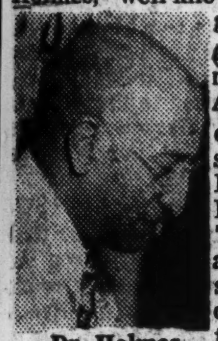
BAGEL HUMAN RELATIONS AWARD

Dr. Clarence Holmes Gets Jewish Award

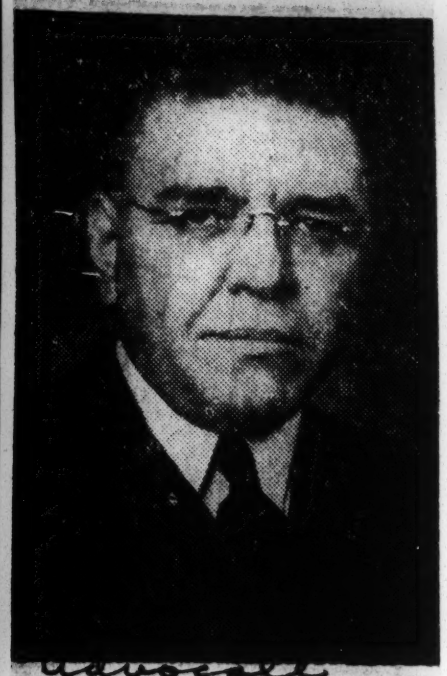
DENVER, Col. — Dr. Clarence Holmes, well-known dentist, was given the Lox and Bagel Human Relations Award here Sunday at a brunch sponsored by the B'nai B'rith Lodge No. 1783. The non-Jewish award was presented for his outstanding fight for minority rights and for his work as founder of the Cosmopolitan Club. Guest speaker was Colorado's Governor Dan Thornton.



Dr. Holmes

Best Legislator Award

Best Legislator



REP. CHARLES J. JENKINS

Chairman of the appropriations committee of the Illinois House of Representatives, the first Negro to hold the post, last week was given the "Best Legislator Award" of the Independent Voters League of Illinois. Gov. Stevenson spoke at the ceremony which was held at Kimball Hall, Chicago.—(ANP)

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BETA DELTA MU UNITY AWARD

Fraternity Award to Reporter

Ted Poston, reporter for The New York Post, received the Beta Delta Mu untiy award yesterday for his "efforts to promote interracial brotherhood and unity." The presentation was made at the President Theatre, 247 West Forty-eighth Street, by Alden N. Haffner, grand chancellor of the fraternity. Seventy-five persons attended the final session of the fraternity's fourth annual convention, at which the award was made.

Dr. Ralph J. Bunche
1950 Nobel Peace Prize

'Dr. Bunche for Secretary of State'

Say Winner of Nobel Prize Logical Choice

Vets Circulate Petitions Asking His Nomination

Dr. Ralph J. Bunche, who last week received the Nobel peace prize for his activities as mediator in Palestine, this week was suggested as U.S. Secretary of State and as mediator in the Korean situation.

Petitions are being circulated in the Kansas City area calling upon President Truman to nominate Dr. Bunche for Secretary of State. The movement, started by Ernest Gayden, principal of the B. T. Coles Veterans Training school, is picking up momentum daily as Kansas citians sign their names to the "Bunche in '51" petitions which read:

"We the undersigned do hereby request that the President of the United States tender to the Congress the name of Dr. Ralph Bunche for the Office of Secretary of State."

After the first few thousand signatures have been obtained in Kansas City, the petition movement is expected to spread to other cities.

Last Saturday, Oesten Unden, foreign minister of Sweden, suggested that Dr. Bunche be appointed mediator in the Korean conflict.

Dr. Bunche, principal director of the U. N. Department of Trusteeship and Information from Non-Self-Governing Territories, has just won the greatest honor the world has to offer for service in the cause for peace—the Nobel peace prize. He was singled out for this honor over such other world-famous men as Winston Churchill, Nehru and General Marshall.

He won the honor for his success in restoring peace to the chaotic situation in the Holy Land. His work in Palestine was done from September, 1948, to August, 1949, during which period armistice agreements were worked out to end the conflict between Israel and her Arab neighbors. Dr. Bunche became UN mediator in Palestine following the assassination of Count Folke Bernadotte.

Dr. Bunche joined the United Nations staff in 1946 as director of the division of trusteeships and served as the personal representative of the Secretary General.

The former Howard university professor entered government service in 1941, having charge of research on Africa and other colonial areas of the British Commonwealth in the Office of Strategic Services. He became chief of the African section in 1943. The following year he entered the Department of State as a territorial specialist and soon became chief of the division of Dependent Area Affairs.

After serving as assistant secretary to the United States delegation at the Dumbarton Oaks conference in 1944 and as an adviser at the San Francisco conference which organized the United Nations, Dr. Bunche represented the United States at several United Nations affairs and at other international meetings. He was a United States delegate at the General Assembly meeting in London in 1946, U. S. Commissioner on the Caribbean commission in 1945-46 and U. S. Commissioner at the West Indian conference in 1946.

In proposing the name of Bunche as Secretary of State, Gayden said that "a man with such a background as Dr. Bunche has is a logical choice for our secretary of state. The man whom all the world honors for his peace-making ability certainly should be at the head of the state department in his own country."

Shortly after his return to the United States from Palestine, Dr. Bunche was offered an assistant secretaryship in the state department but he turned it down because of the segregation and discrimination against his people in Washington, D.C. He said he preferred to stay with the United Nations where he said his children could grow up in an atmosphere not so charged with prejudice.

Since that time, Dr. Bunche has been appointed professor of government at Harvard university but is on leave of absence because of his commitments in connection with United Nations affairs.

DR. BUNCHE RECEIVES NOBEL PEACE PRIZE AND GREETS A KING.—Dr. Ralph J. Bunche, winner of the Nobel peace prize, is shown in Oslo, Norway, bowing over the hand of King Haakon of Norway just after the king had presented him with the award in a ceremony at Oslo university. Dr. Bunche was awarded the prize for his work as mediator in Palestine. In the background, Mrs. Bunche, right, is chatting with Princess Martha.—INS Photo.

Dr. Bunche Meets Two Kings On European Trip

OSLO, Norway — (ANP) — Dr. Ralph J. Bunche, winner of the 1950 Nobel Peace Prize, met two kings during the past week in Europe.

Dr. Bunche came to Norway to receive the Nobel award, the world's greatest prize for achievement. He has met King Haakon of Norway, and in Copenhagen, Denmark, King Frederik IX of that nation.

While overseas, Dr. Bunche, who won his prize for his work as United Nations mediator in the Palestine situation during 1949, also delivered lectures at various European universities including the University of Oslo and Copenhagen university.

In Oslo, King Haakon, Crown Prince Onlav and other members of the royal family looked on as Gunnar Jahn, chairman of the Nobel committee, presented him a gold medal, a diploma, and a check with $31,674.00.

This check is tax-free in the United States and in Norway. Doctor Bunche was one of eight persons receiving Nobel awards worth nearly $200,000. He received his award before an overflowing auditorium at the University of Oslo, and the other winners received their awards at ceremonies in Stockholm, Sweden.

In his acceptance address, Doctor Bunche praised the men who helped him during his trying days of the Palestine mediation. He had special praise for Count Folke Bernadotte, his predessor at the mediation post. He told his audience he was "overwhelmed" with this honor. He said in part:

"May there be in our time a world of peace in which we, the people, make full use of the possibilities which are in us, a world of freedom and equality among all men.

"I am appreciative beyond the puny powers of man. There are men who stand beyond who are also honored today."

Of Count Bernadotte, he said:

"May we long revere his memory."

He closed his talk by saying, "May there be in our time, at long last, full peace."

Dr. Bunche Gets Diamond Cross Of Malta In Philadelphia

Dr. Ralph J. Bunche, director of the United Nations Trusteeship Division, received the Philadelphia Cotillion Society's Diamond Cross of Malta Award last Friday night at the Society's annual ball. The presentation was made by Marian Anderson, famed concert singer, who is shown here congratulating him. Looking on is Municipal Court Judge Herbert E. Millen, general chairman of the Cotillion Society. Miss Anderson received the Society's Amethyst Cross of Malta in 1949.

Bunche Gets Gold Cross Of Malta For Peace Efforts

(Special to Journal and Guide)

PHILADELPHIA, Pa. — Dr. Ralph J. Bunche, who was honored with a Gold Cross of Malta and citation at the second annual Christian Cotillion here Friday of last week, expressed hope for world peace in an address the previous day at a session of the American Political Science Association. He also criticized Washington's discriminatory racial practices.

Dr. Bunche, winner of the 1950 Nobel Peace Prize, described the international situation as "extremely dangerous" but expressed a feeling that "war will not come."

Admitting that his feeling might be born "primarily of hope," he said that the UN offers room for that hope and has a record of which it can be proud. In support of this position he cited the successful settlement of disputes in Indonesia, Palestine and Greece before the Korean situation made it necessary to resort to arms.

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THE NOBEL PRIZE winner also made it clear that it will be necessary for the free nations of the world to make available to the UN sufficient military strength to halt any agressor, speedily and conclusively.

"I believe," he said, "that if that kind of force can be made available to the UN, it never will again be challenged."

Commenting upon the role of the United States, Dr. Bunche urged that it work to wipe out economic inequalities and racial discriminations and assailed the lack of democracy in the nation's capital.

"I HAVE ALWAYS thought the capital of our nation should be a model for democracy. Washington, unfortunately, is hardly an example."

Both Dr. Bunche and the Nobel awards came under attack from the Soviet Literary Gazette.

The Russian publication described the Nobel awards as "prizes loaded with the dynamite of war."

It charged that Dr. Bunche was an assistant to U. S. Secretary of State Acheson: that his career "was advanced by lynchers," who are "dressing him in diplomat's clothes in order to use him to deceive millions of colored and white" and that he "looks after the interests of Wall street no less than Acheson."

Marian Anderson, internationally known concert star, pins the Diamond Cross of Malta on Dr. Ralph J. Bunche, Nobel Peace Prize winner, at the annual Cotillion Ball in Philadelphia, Friday evening, at Convention Hall. The society honored Miss Anderson last year. More than six thousand persons attended the affair.

Philly Cotillion Honoree

Dr. Bunche Warns West to 'Awaken'

PHILADELPHIA—Dr. Ralph J. Bunche warned nations of the Western world to "awaken" to the fires of revolutionary nationalism in Asia and heed the demands of colored peoples "at home and abroad," Friday night at Convention Hall where he was honored by more than 6,000 persons at the second annual Christmas Cotillion.

Presented with a citation and a Diamond Cross of Malta, Dr. Bunche declared in his acceptance speech that a new spirit was moving through Asia. "The pre-war attitudes are as dead as the pre-war world," he said.

Voicing a "belief which may be only a hope," for world peace, he asserted that he was "proud to be a member of the international organization which is working for peace, the United Nations."

'FOR AMERICA FIRST'

"No special honors are due me," he said. "I am only one of fourteen million American Negroes, and one of one hundred and fifty million Americans."

The presentation of the award to Dr. Bunche, for upholding the "highest ideals of American citizenship" and his "maintenance of the rights of all men," climaxed a breathtaking program of excellent music, inspired dancing (involving some four-hundred dancers) and lavish spectacle.

Because of the large turnout, the Cotillion Society realized funds for the presentation of $7,000 to beneficiaries, plus $1,000 for a scholarship presented to Hannah Dubsky, an Olney High senior, in Dr. Bunche's name.

MERCY GETS $3,000

Of this total, $3,000 was earmarked for the Mercy-Douglass Hospital, $2,000 for the Home for the Aged and Infirm, $1,000 for the Fellowship Commission and $1,000 for Fellowship House.

Miss Marian Anderson, world-famed contralto and winner of last year's award who made the presentation of the Cross of Malta to Dr. Bunche, declared she would match the contributions of the Cotillion to these agencies.

Sixty Philadelphia clubs contributed CARE packages for distribution to war orphans in France and Italy in honor of Dr. Bunche. These gifts were accepted by Marian Stewart Abbott of CARE.

RECEPTION HELD

Prior to the official opening of the Cotillion, a reception for Dr. Bunche was held in the Gold Room of Convention Hall, attended by members of the United Nations and members of the Cotillion Society.

Distinguished persons who took part in the official ceremonies included Circuit Court Judge William H. Hastie, who introduced Dr. Bunche; Municipal Court Judge Herbert E. Millen, who presided, and Mrs. Robert L. Vann, who lighted the trees prior to the beginning of the ballet fantasy, "Frozen Fire."

Highlight of the entertainment at the Cotillion was provided by the "Frozen Fire" fantasy, conceived and produced by Eugene Wayman Jones, executive director of the Philadelphia Cotillion Society.

DANCES BRILLIANT

The story idea provided the frame within which the music of Raymond Smith's Philadelphia Concert Orchestra and the dancing of men and maids in costumes and varieties from all parts of the world could be unified.

Credit for the inspiring dance scenes, and fine coordination, accrues to Mrs. Marian Cuyjet, in charge of direction and choreography for "Frozen Fire."

Another dancing thrill was provided the spectators in ingenious dances to waltz time by the Ladies and Gentlemen of the Cotillion, under the direction of Mrs. Essie Marie Dorsey. She was ably assisted by Jerome Gaymon, cotillion master, and Helen Hopkins Jr., Mrs. Eunyce H. Johnson and Mrs. Gladys Bowie Duckett.

Breath-taking costumes for the ballet-fantasy were the creations of Mrs. T. A. Williams, Mrs. Dorothy Townes, Mrs. Charles Beckett, Mrs. Esther Wilson, Mrs. John Williams, Mrs. Francis Beckett, Mrs. Mary DeCoursey, Mrs. Louis Bellamy, Mrs. Mark Gibson, Mrs. Allen West and Mrs. C. Roberts Twisdale.

For forty-five minutes, beginning at nine o'clock, guests heard Kenneth Goodman, noted organist, perform five numbers, including an original composition, "Improvisation de Noel."

Following, Raymond L. Smith conducted the Philadelphia Concert Orchestra in Tschaikowsky's "Nutcracker Suite." Mrs. Gladys Bowie Duckett followed with a piano solo, the "Grieg Piano Concerto in A Minor," and Josephine Jordon, soprano, delivered "Cantique de Noel" by Adam.

In honor of Dr. Bunche, S/Sgt. Carrel Reavis took an honor guard of U. S. Marines smartly through their military paces.

Other program participants included Dr. Horace C. Scott, who extended felicitations to the assemblage; Mrs. Avril Troy Blount, who escorted Mrs. Vann, and Mrs. Leslie T. Smith, who officiated at the presentation of CARE packages.

Dancing followed the official ceremonies.

Carnegie Hero Fund

60-Year-Old Hero Gets Bronze Medal

PITTSBURGH —(SNS)— A 60-year-old railroad brakeman was given a Bronze Medal for Heroism by the Carnegie Hero Fund Commission Friday. James E. Dowell received his medal for saving a child, 16 months old, and his mother who were in danger of being run over by a train.

Dowell was on a freight train moving at approximately 12 miles per hour. Standing on the platform of the caboose, he saw a child playing on the tracks directly in the path of the six-car train.

Jumping from the moving platform, he raced ahead and snatched the child from the tracks with scarcely three feet to spare. At the same time, he saved the child's mother by restraining her rush to save the child.

At the same ceremony, 11 other heroes were honored by the Commission. Two had given their lives in rescue attempts and two had suffered injury. Pensions worth $1,920 annually were awarded in two cases and awards for disability in the amount of $850 were made in two others. A total of $4,000 was granted in ten cases for "educational and other worth purposes."

HEROES ARE CITED BY CARNEGIE BODY

Bronze Medals, Cash Awards Given Winners

(The Associated Press)

Pittsburgh, April 28—Two men who died in vain rescue attempts were among 12 cited for heroism Friday by the Carnegie Fund hero commission.

The two are Walter G. Langford Sr., of Sarasota, Fla., and Albert L. Kepler, of Akron, Ohio. Each of their widows was granted an $80 monthly income.

All of the heroes were awarded bronze medals and cash awards for educational and other worthy purposes. In addition, the commission allowed $850 in disability benefits for two of the 12 who were injured.

South Carolina and Ohio each had three medal winners and Virginia, Pennsylvania, Arkansas and Oklahoma had one each.

Langford, 54-year-old truck driver, met death trying to save Ralph A. Foster, a 12-year-old school boy from drowning in Myakka river at Myakka, Fla., last Aug. 17.

Kepler, 30, an electrician, died last Sept. 26, trying to save two Akron millwrights who were trapped in a carbon monoxide-filled compartment of an industrial plant.

William C. Lane, of Akron, also among the Carnegie medal winners, went to Kepler's rescue, but the fumes drove him back on two occasions.

James E. Dowell, of Applachia, Va., a Negro brakeman, won his medal for carrying a 16-month-old boy from a railroad track as a slow moving train came within three-feet of them July 10, 1950.

Other medals for heroic acts went to:

Edward B. Mitchell, 17, and Malcolm L. Danner, both of Folly Beach, S. C.; James J. Kennedy, 21, Pittsburgh; Byron Wootton, 40, of Vermilion on the Lake, Ohio; Mattie Youngs Woods, 31, of Conway, Ark., Floyd H. Matlack, 46, Enid, Okla.; Robert W. Ballentine, Cameron, S. C., and Joseph A. Mariola, Akron, Ohio.

Carver Award Presented To Calvert Prexy

New York, October 16th - The 1951 George Washington Carver Gold award for promoting interracial understanding was made today to W. W. Wachtel, president of Calvert Distillers Corporation.

The presentation was made by Acting Mayor Joseph T. Sharkey, Josephine Baker, and "Jersey Joe" Walcott during ceremonies at a luncheon at the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel, presided over by Dr. Robert D. Hobday, National Chairman of the George Washington Carver Memorial Institute and attended by well known figures of the sports and enterainment world, and civic and community leaders.

Participating in the ceremonies were Sandy Sadler; Monte Irvin; Roy Campanella; James A. Farley; Joe Louis; Dedputy Housing Commissioner Frederick Weaver; Councilman Earl Brown; Deputy Commissioner William (Billy) Leon Rowe; S. Phillips, president, Booker T. Washington Memorial Institute; and Billy Daniels.

Wins Carver Award

NEW YORK — W. W. Wachtel was presented the George Washington Carver Memorial Institute (of Washington, D. C.) annual Gold Award for 1951 for his outstanding contribution to the betterment of race relations and human welfare.

JO BAKER, internationally-known artist currently starring at New York's Roxy, presents George Washington Carver award for promoting interracial understanding to W. W. Wachtel, president of Calvert Distillers corp., at Waldorf-Astoria hotel. Award is presented yearly by George Washington Carver Memorial Institute. At right is Dr. Robert D. Hobday, institute chairman.

To Rebroadcast New Year's Day

Jersey Joe Walcott, heavyweight champion of the world, presents W. W. Wachtel, president of Calvert Distillers Corp., with the annual George Washington Carver Gold Award for promoting interracial amity. A rebroadcast of the proceedings held originally in the beautiful Jade Room of the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel in New York is scheduled for New Year's Day over WMRY at 1:00 p. m.

Speakers include William Leon (Billy) Rowe, New York City's Deputy Police Commissioner and the famous radio personality, Ben Grauer, who emcees the program.

Mr. Wachtel, one of the nation's foremost orators, makes an interesting plea for better understanding between all peoples which makes this a New Year's day must.

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Catholic Interracial Council AWARD

INTERRACIAL COUNCIL RECEIVES AN AWARD

Times 2-18-51

The third annual Lane Bryant award for outstanding volunteer service in a community was presented yesterday to the Catholic Interracial Council of Wilmington, Del.

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At a luncheon in the Plaza Hotel, Raphael Malsin, president of the Lane Bryant department store, presented the $1,000 prize to Maj. William Duffy, first president of the council. Members of the council were honored for their campaign to break down segregation practices against Negroes in employment, schools and theatres.

Honorable mention citations were were presented to the Hyde Park-Kenwood Community Conference of Chicago for improving race relations, Fountain House Foundations for rehabilitating former inmates of mental institutions, Rev. R. Norman Hughes of Bay City, Mich., for organizing a campaign to pass a referendum on public housing, and the Citizens' Committee on Children of New York City for forming projects that improved day-care centers, child guidance and procedures in children's court.

ZIONS CITE PATTERSON
OF TUSKEGEE INSTITUTE

Tuskegee,Ala.-Dr.F.D. Patterson, Tuskegee Institute,President, was awarded a citation at the 84th meeting of the Alabama conference, A.M.E. Zion Church by the Christian Education Department, for outstanding work done in the field of education.

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Awards by the department were made in various fields of endeavor, and Dr.Patterson won his citation for the work he has done since taking over the reins at Tuskegee, and for the services rendered by the United College Fund, which he also directs.

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Community Service Plaque-Honor Award of the Veterans of Foreign Wars

VFW Award Goes to Lover of Youth Work

Cpo Bulletin Dat. 11-17-51

Monty Irvin, of Orange, N.J., star outfielder of the New York Giants, receives from VFW Commander-in-Chief Frank C. Hilton, a community service plaque, an honor award of the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the U.S., in recognition of his interest in American youth, and his professional prowess. In winter months, Irvin shows keen interest in boys' work and YMCA activities.

VFW Honors Monte Irvin

Advocate Dat. 12-1-51

Monte Irvin, world series hero of the New York Giants, was honored in his home town of Orange, N. J., recently by the Veterans of Foreign Wars for his work with youth. Commander-in-Chief Frank C. Hilton of the VFW presented him a Community Plaque "in recognition of the time and effort he devotes so generously to youth organization, constituting a commendable contribution to community service, and in especial appreciation of his personal and professional endeavors, which directly foster the interest of American youth in wholesome sports."

During the winter months Irvin, 31, devotes much of his time to boys' work at the Oakwood YMCA in Orange as well as to other local centers. He is one of Orange's greatest athletes. He started out in baseball with the old Newark Eagles before World War II.

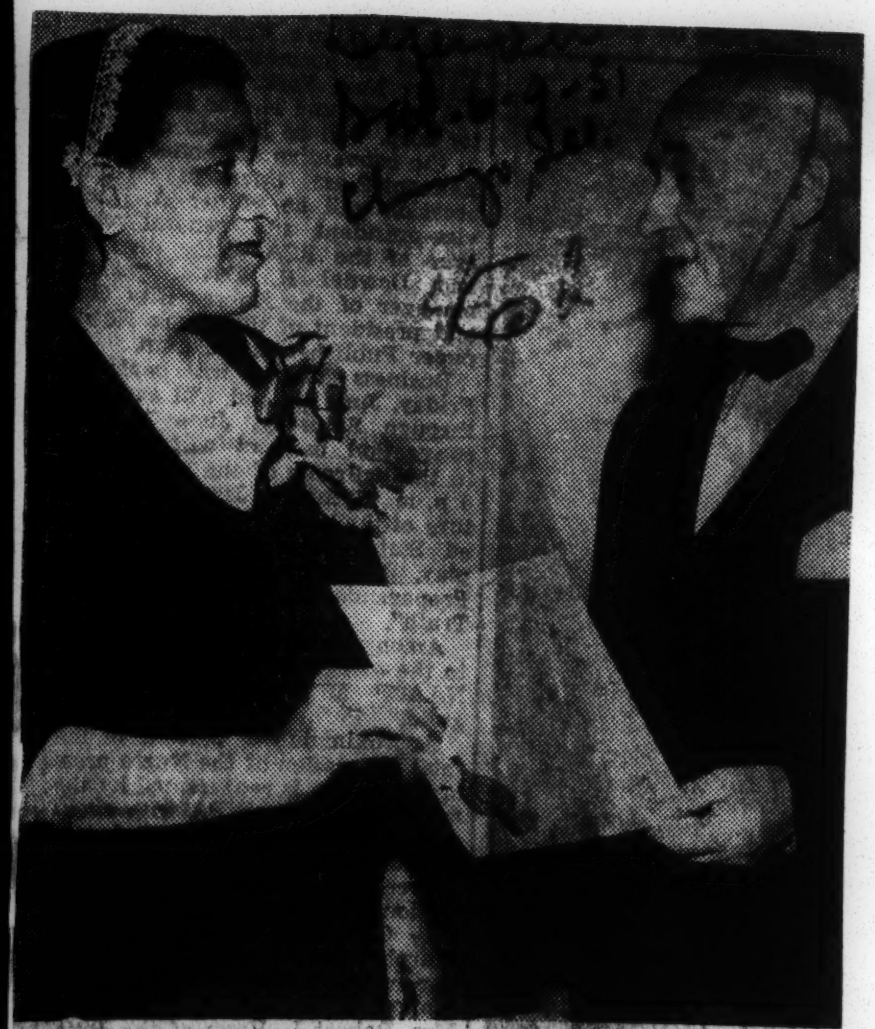
After four years in the army he resumed his baseball career, first with the Eagles, then with Jersey City and the Giants. He is married to the former Miss Dee Otey. They have two daughters.

In the above picture he receives his award from Commander-in-Chief Hilton.—(ANP)

Diamond Cross of Malta

BUNCHE RECEIVES DIAMOND CROSS OF MALTA.—Dr. Ralph J. Bunche, director of the United Nations Trusteeship division, received the Philadelphia Cotillion Society's Diamond Cross of Malta award Friday night, Dec. 29. The award was presented by Miss Marian Anderson, center, the celebrated contralto, who is shown here congratulating the 1950 Nobel peace prize winner. The presentation took place in the Convention hall at Philadelphia. Looking on is Municipal Court Judge Herbert E. Millen, general chairman of the Cotillion Society. Miss Anderson received the society's Amerhyst cross of Malta in 1949.—UNP Photo.

First Prize Citation- Child Welfare Assn. (Atlanta,Ga.)



FIRST PRIZE CITATION—Mrs. Lucile Thompkins Lewis, supervisor of the Negro division of the Child Welfare Association of Atlanta, Ga., shown being awarded the first prize award of the Child Welfare League of America's Mary E. Boretz award contest for the manuscript making the most significant contribution to the field of child welfare during the past year. The award was made by Leonard W. Mayo, League vice president, at the National Conference for Social Work meeting in Atlantic City. Mrs. Lewis received a cash prize of $250, in addition to the citation.

Augusta Editor Gets Honor Medal And $300 For Editorial Supporting Freedom

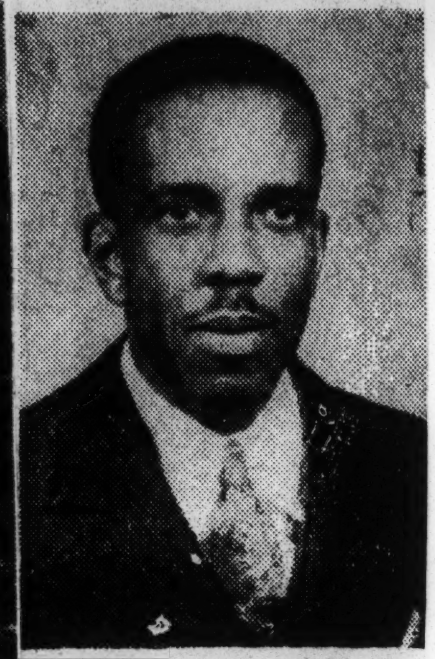
Journal and Guide Sat. 3-3-51 Norfolk Va

The Rev. M. J. Whitaker, editor of the Augusta, Ga., Weekly Review, is shown being congratulated by General Omar N. Bradley, chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, on behalf of Freedoms Foundation at award presentation ceremonies, Washington's birthday, at historic Valley Forge, Pa.

Rev. Mr. Whitaker received an honor medal and $300 for his editorial, "The Negro's Fundamental Belief in the American Way of Life." Looking on is Kenneth D. Wells, executive vice president of Freedoms Foundation.

The Foundation, non-political, non-sectarian, and non-profit, devotes itself to granting awards to individuals and groups which through their actions or writings "speak up for Freedom." Awards totaling $100,000 were made to Americans from all walks of life at the second annual presentations.

Minister Wins Freedom Award



Among many awards presented at Valley Forge, Pa., Thursday by General Omar N. Bradley for Freedoms Foundation was one in the second place of the general awards won by the Rev. Kenneth R. Williams, Winston-Salem, N. C. Alderman.

Rev. Mr. Wiliams was honored for his courageous fight against the control of unions in Winston-Salem by Communists. His award was the highest one presented to any colored American for any event about race relations.

Rev. Kenneth Williams Among Freedom Winners

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VALLEY FORGE, Pa. — The Rev. Kenneth R. Williams, member of the Board of Alderman, Winston-Salem, N. C., was one among several Americans who won second place awards for 1950 sponsored by the Freedom Foundation. He was the only colored American in the second place of the geheral awards.

The Winston-Salem minister, who is an active pastor, was cited for his courageous fight in his union against Communist control. The awards were presented here Thursday by General Omar N. Bradley.

In the civilian defense division, Norfolk received a certificate of merit for its work. It is the only city in Virginia which was cited for its defense program.

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DR. HORACE MANN BOND, president of Lincoln (Pa.) University, and Dr. Ralph J. Bunche, director of the UN Trusteeship Division, were among the third and fourth place winners, respectively, of college commencement speakers. Dr Bond spoke on "A Half Century of Heroes" at Tennessee . and I. College. Dr Bunche spoke on "Human Relations and World Peace" at Gustavus Adolphus College.

Other winners on events by or about colored Americans were an editorial on "The Negroes Fundamental Belief in the American Way of Life" by the Rev. M. J. Whitake in The Weekly Review of Augusta, Ga.; a United Features Syndicate article by Robert C. Ruark on "Dr. Bunche's Nobel Award Shows Up Red-Loving Robeson"; a magazine article by C. C. Spaulding, North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company president, on "The Land of the Free"; and a radio program entitled "George Washington Carver."

Freedoms Foundation Presents 160 Awards

Journal and Guide

Medina, Namm and 3 Members Of W-T&S Organization Honored

By the Associated Press

VALLEY FORGE, Pa., May 3.—Cash awards or honor medals were presented today by Freedoms Foundation to 160 individuals and organizations from New York State and Connecticut.

The presentations, covering regional winners in the foundation's 1950 national awards totaling $100,000, were made by Kenneth D. Wells, president of the foundation, assisted by Dr. Grayson Kirk, provost and acting president of Columbia University.

Among those honored were Edwin S. Friendly, vice president of the New York World-Telegram and Sun, for a speech on freedom of the press; Benjamin Namm, chairman of Namm's department store, of Brooklyn; Gertrude Samuels of The New York Times, John Hersey, author; Joseph L. Jones, vice president of the United Press Assn.; Samuel H. Flowerman, research director of the American Jewish Committee, and Federal Judge Harold R. Medina.

Also honored were Frederick Woltman of the World-Telegram and Sun for "journalistic enterprise and reporting in the Amerasia case," and Robert Ruark, W-T&S columnist, for an article on Dr. Ralph Bunche's Nobel award.

The award winners included housewives, industrialists, clergymen, advertising executives, broadcasters, youth and adult groups. The Girl Scouts of America were honored for "outstanding civil-defense efforts."

They Received Freedom Foundations Awards in Philly

Afro-American Sat. 5-26-51 Baltimore Md.

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George W. Blount, left of West Chester, Pa., Dr. Horace Mann Bond and Mrs. Sadie T. M. Alexander are shown with the awards they received from the Freedoms Foundation Inc. of Valley Forge, Pa., during ceremonies in Philadelphia, Saturday morning. Drs. Robert L. Johnson, president of Temple University, and Harold E. Stassen, president of the University of Pennsylvania are Philadelphia area directors, shown second and third above.

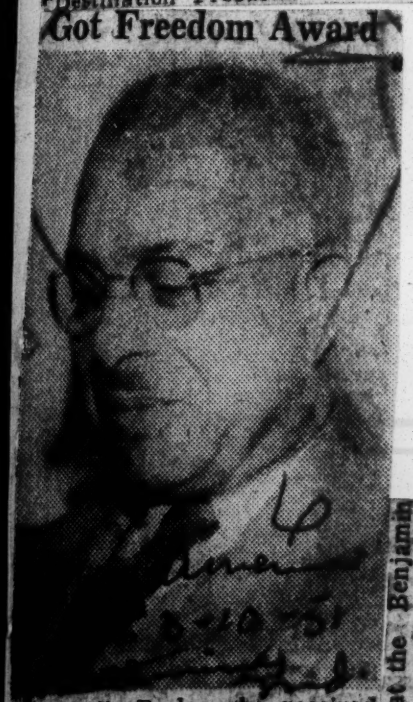
6 Get Awards From Freedom Foundation

VALLEY FORGE, Pa. — Six Negroes and a community organization were among those receiving Freedoms Foundation awards from Gen. Omar Bradley as special ceremonies here Feb. 22, George Washington's birthday.

Honored because they "spoke for freedom" during 1950 were: Dr. Horace Mann Bond, president of Lincoln university, Pa.; the Rev. M. S. Whitaker, editor of the Weekly Review, Augusta, Ga; C. C. Spaulding, president of North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance company; Dr. Ralph Bunche, Nobel Peace Prize winner; Dr. Thomas Roy Peyton of Los Angeles and the Rev. Kenneth R. Williams of the Winston-Salem, N. C., board of aldermen.

Also winning awards were the Southside Community Committee of Chicago and Radio Station WMAQ in Chicago. The radio station's award came for its series, "Destination Freedom."

Got Freedom Award



Golden B. Derby who received one of the Freedom Foundation Awards at Valley Forge on Washington's Birthday. His work in community center work in Chicago won for him the citation and medal. His stay in Philadelphia was at the Benjamin Franklin Hotel.

DR. RALPH J. BUNCHE

Bunche Wins Four Freedom 1951 Award

Fifteen thousand persons from all walks of life have chosen Dr. Ralph Johnson Bunche, head of the Trusteeship Department of the UN, to receive the Four Freedoms award for 1951.

He will deliver an address at a dinner in his honor at the Waldorf-Astoria hotel, April 11. Mrs. Franklin Delano Roosevelt, winner of last year's prize, will make the presentation.

Ferdinand Pecora, chairman of the Franklin D. Roosevelt Four Freedoms Award committee made the announcement last week.

A principal speaker at the affair will be Vice President Barkley, winner of the 1949 award. The honor is bestowed in commemoration of the public service of the late President Franklin D. Roosevelt, to the person who has done the most for the cause of the Four Freedoms.

Dr. Bunche previously distinguished himself by winning the Nobel Peace Prize early this year.

Bunche to receive Four Freedoms prize

NEW YORK, March 31—(AP)—Dr. Ralph Bunche, United Nations Palestine mediator and winner of the 1950 Nobel Peace Prize, has been selected to receive the 1951 Four Freedoms Award.

The award to Bunche was announced Thursday by former State Supreme Court Justice Ferdinand Pecora, chairman of the Franklin D. Roosevelt Four Freedoms Award Committee.

Bunche will be presentel with the award at a dinner April 11 by Mrs. Franglin D. Roosevelt, who won it last year.

Freedoms Award to Dr. Bunche

NEW YORK—As the result of a national ballot, Dr. Ralph Bunche, Nobel Peace Prize winner and director of the trusteeship division of the United Nations, on April 11, at the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel will receive the Four Freedoms Award for distinguished service in behalf of the cause of the Four Freedoms.

The award will be made on the eve of the sixth anniversary of the death of President Franklin D. Roosevelt and will be presented by Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt, the late President's widow, who received the award in 1950.

Dr. Bunche will deliver an address at the awards dinner as will Vice-President Alben Barkley who won the award in 1949, and Maurice Tobin, Secretary of Labor. The award was established in commemoration of the public service of President Franklin D. Roosevelt.

TOBIN LAUDS BUNCHE AS "GREAT AMERICAN"

NEW YORK, N. Y.—Dr. Ralph Bunche, director of the trusteeship division of the United Nations, received the Four Freedoms Award for 1951 at the annual dinner of the award committee at the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel here April 11. The dinner, attended by seven hundred guests, was held on the sixth anniversary of the death of Franklin D. Roosevelt, who enunciated the doctrine of Four Freedoms.

Secretary of Labor Maurice J. Tobin who spoke at the dinner, praised Dr. Bunche as a "great American and a great citizen of the world." He said that Dr. Bunche "embodies radiantly the fruits of the democratic tradition, which seeks to give all men, without reference to race, creed, or color, the fullest opportunity to develop their best selves."

"Dr. Bunche is being honored, in part at least," Tobin said, "for his mediation of difficulties in Palestine. That was a historic performance in itself. But its significance is heightened by the fact that it was a Negro who brought Arabs and Jews to an understanding. There is something to lift the heart in that joinder of backgrounds. It has a poetic justice all of its own. It shows the power of moral and intellectual values in a world bedeviled by racial, religious, and political rancor."

Dr. Bunche was chosen for the award after receiving an "overwhelming majority" of the 15,000 ballots cast in the award voting by a selected sampling of Americans.

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Gold Medal Achievement Award
Dr.F.D. Patterson

Southern Masonic Group Cites Patterson, Marshall

Courier Sat. 10-27-51

BIRMINGHAM, Ala.—Fear of communism and super-salesmanship (on radio and in newspapers) is causing the people of America to lose "the battle for human freedom," declared Dr. F. D. Patterson, president of Tuskegee Institute, in a speech Monday night where he accepted the gold medal achievement award at the banquet of the United Supreme Council of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry (Prince Hall Affiliation) Southern Jurisdiction, USA, held at Bob's Savoy Cafe.

He was presented the citation by Dr. Charles H. Wesley, president of Central State College, Xenia, Ohio, on behalf of the council for his outstanding record as "scientist, humanist and public administrator" and particularly for his leadership in the United Negro College Fund. Dr. Wesley's medal presentation oration praised the noted Dr. Patterson for "his outstanding service to humanity."

MARSHALL HONORED

Thurgood Marshall, special counsel for the NAACP, of New York City, one of those given the honorary thirty-third degree, said that the NAACP would help make "race relations and civil rights in the South the pattern for the rest of the nation."

Atty. Arthur D. Shores, local lawyer; Atty. George W. Crawford of New Haven, Conn., and others were called on to speak by Toastmaster E. T. Belsaw of Mobile.

Earlier in the day, Willard W. Allen of Baltimore, Md., grand commander of the Southern Jurisdiction, in his annual message, made a strong plea for the order to continue its work for the development of the group, and outlined a specific program to achieve the objectives.

CITES CONTRIBUTIONS

Mr. Allen said that an appeal had been made for $20,000 to aid the YMCA work in Libera and that eighteen grand lodges had responded with the sum aggregating $3,025. He urged that other contributions be forthcoming. He praised the Supreme Council for its support of the United Negro College Fund.

He praised Dr. J. M. Ellison of Richmond, Va., president of Virginia Union University, who spearheaded the campaign in Maryland several years ago. His speech pledged loyalty to the Defense Bond program.

Dr. Charles H. Wesley, president of Central State College, speaking Sunday night at the memorial services conducted at the Sixteenth Street Baptist Church, lashed out against political corruption, laxity in morals, and urged the removal of racial discrimination in education.

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Grand Prix du Disque

Mahalia Jackson Wins Award

NEW YORK — Mahalia Jackson, queen of the gospel and spiritual singers, recently was awarded the Grand Prix du Disque for her several Apollo recordings by a folk and jazz music festival in Paris, France.

In addition, she was recently selected by a group of university representatives folk and jazz musicians to represent an example of religious music at Music Inn in Lenox, Mass.

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Griffith Music Foundation Award

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DR. BETHUNE TO GET AWARD FROM MUSIC FOUNDATION

NEWARK—The annual award of the Griffith Music Foundation will be made this year to Dr. Mary Bethune, founder of Bethune Cookman College, for her contribution toward better racial and community understanding, it was announced Monday.

Presentation to the 76-year-old educator will be made at the Foundation's annual luncheon at the Essex House here on October 6.

Mrs. Bethune Wins Award

NEWARK, N. J.— Mrs. Mary McLeod Bethune, prominent educator last week was given the Music Fund award, an annual citation given by the Griffith Music foundation to some outstanding person.

Mrs. Bethune Presented Foundation Award

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Mrs. Mary McCleod Bethune, world-famed educator and human rights leader of Washington and Daytona Beach, Fla., was presented with the annual award of the Griffith Music Foundation of Newark, N.J., Saturday, at a luncheon at the Essex House Hotel in Newark. She was cited for "distinguished contributions" toward better racial and community understanding. Left to right are: Mrs. Walter Alexander, Orange, founder, New Jersey Chapter, Metropolitan Council of Negro Women; Mrs. Bethune, founder and president-emeritus of the Council; Mrs. Parker O. Griffith, president of the Foundation; and Miss Garnet Henderson, State president of the Council.

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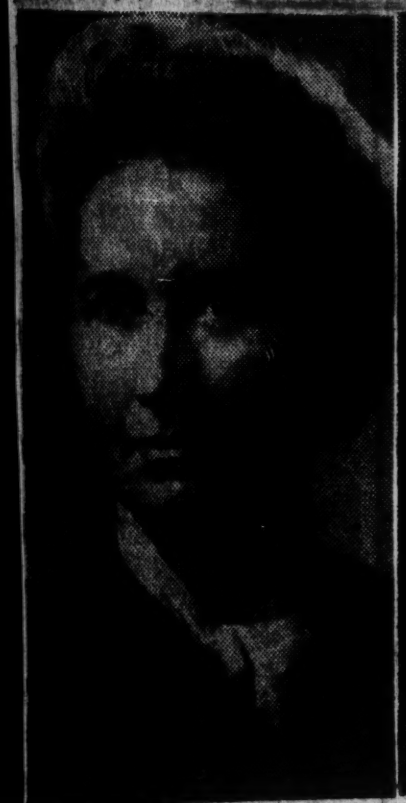
Haitian Government Award--Order of Honor and Merit

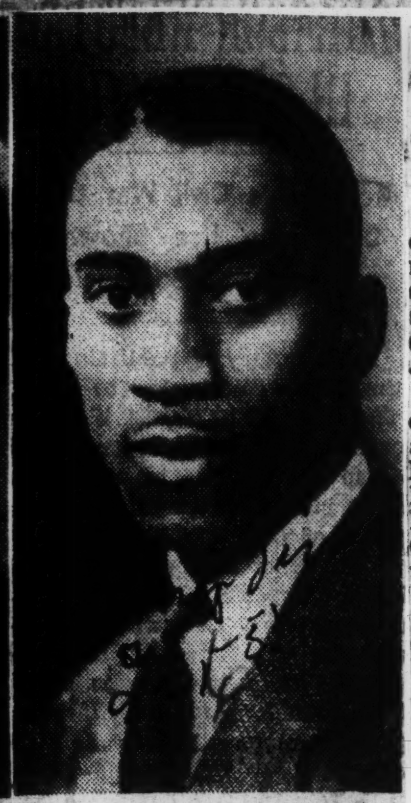
Courtin' Disaster

Melvin D. Hildreth, prominent Washington lawyer, joined the company of Howard's Mercer Cook, AME's Claude Barnett, Afro-American's Roy Garvin, Color Mag's I. J. K. Wells, and Defender's Venice Spraggs when the Haitian Government awarded him the Order of Honor and Merit, highest decoration of the country at an Embassy ceremony with Ambassador Gustave Larague doing the honors.

WINNERS OF AWARDS FOR INTERRACIAL JUSTICE



Mrs. Roger L. Putnam



Dr. Francis M. Hammond

The Catholic Interracial Council of New York announced yesterday the winners of the 1951 James J. Hoey Awards for Interracial Justice, silver medals annually awarded to a white and a Negro lay leader in the race relations field. They are Mrs. Roger L. Putnam of Springfield, Mass., founder and president of Catholic Scholarships for Negroes, and Dr. Francis M. Hammond, a Negro, who heads the philosophy department at Seton Hall University, Orange, N. J.

The awards will be presented at the Carroll Club, 120 Madison Avenue, at 3 P. M. on Oct. 28. The awards were established in 1942 by the family of the late James J. Hoey, a former Collector of Internal Revenue here, who was an organizer and first president of the council. Dr. Hammond has studied at Howard and Xavier Universities and the University of Louvain, Belgium. Mrs. Putnam is a member of the Springfield Housing Authority and a director of the South End Community House there.

1951 Hoey Award for Dr. Hammond

NEW YORK (ANP) — Dr. Francis M. Hammond, Catholic Layman and head of the department of philosophy of Seton Hall University, Orange, N.J., was named one of two 1951 recipients of the James J. Hoey Award.

The Catholic Interracial council of New York gives two awards annually to a colored and a white leader in the field of race relations. Mrs. Roger L. Putnam, Springfield, Mass., founder and president of Catholic Scholarships, was the white recipient.

To Be Presented Oct. 28

Presentation ceremonies will be held here Oct. 28. Since the awards were established in 1942, the presentation has been held on the last Sunday in October on the Feast of Christ the King.

The Hoey family established the awards in honor of the late James J. Hoey, organizer and first president of the Catholic Interracial Council.

Two silver medals are conferred annually upon the two persons who, in the opinion of the committee on awards, have made the greatest contribuions during tthe year to racial justice.

PRESENTING THE ANNUAL HOEY AWARDS

The Most Rev. Christopher J. Weldon, Bishop of Springfield, giving medal to Dr. Francis M. Hammond of Seton Hall College Department of Philosophy, as Mrs. Roger L. Putnam, founder and president of Catholic Scholarships for Negroes, who was also honored, looks on at 120 Madison Avenue. The New York Times

The tenth annual awards of the James J. Hoey Medal to a Negro and a white leader in the field of race relations were made yesterday to Dr. Francis M. Hammond, head of the Philosophy Department at Seton Hall University, Orange, N. J., and to Mrs. Roger L. Putnam of Springfield, Mass., founder and president of Catholic Scholarships for Negroes.

The presentations were made by the Most Rev. Christopher J. Weldon, Bishop of Springfield, at the Carroll Club, 120 Madison Avenue.

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Humane Medal

Wins Humane Medal

PRAIRIE VIEW, Texas—Lt. Col. H. Y. Chase, professor of military science and tactics at Prairie View A. and M. college, was recently awarded the Medal for Humane Action by the Secretary of the Army.

Humanity Gold Medal Award 1950

Calif. Doctor Gets Medal Award

LOS ANGELES — Paramhansa Yogananda, founder, and the Board of Directors of the Self-Realization Fellowship Church have announced that Dr. J. A. Sommerville, member of the Los Angeles Police Commission, received a Self-Realization Fellowship Services to Humanity Gold Medal Award for 1950.

Dr. Sommerville is the first colored person to have been appointed a member of the Los Angeles Police Commission. The award was presented at the dedication of the Self-Realization Fellowship India House at 4866 Sunset Blvd., Sunday, April 8, followed by a luncheon in honor of Dr. Sommerville and other award recipients.

SRF Services to Humanity Gold Medal awards have been made to the producer, writer, director and members of the cast of, "Stars in My Crown," for their contribution toward humanitarian service.

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INTERNATIONAL AWARD- (Women for Achievement, Inc.)
Mrs. Edith S. Sampson

Women For Achievement Give Awards, Citations

NEW YORK CITY — Belvidere roof of New York's Hotel Astor was the elegant setting for a dinner sponsored recently by Women for Achievement, Inc., to present annual awards and citations to women who have distinguished themselves in world, nation and state affairs.

The Honorable Edith S. Sampson, alternate delegate to the UN, received the International Award. The Honorable Frances Payne Bolton was recipient of the National Award.

The Honorable Jane H. Todd, Deputy Commissioner of Commerce of New York, chairman of the Woman's Council of the Department of Commerce of the State of New York, received a State award.

Charles Garside, former chairman of New York State Committee Against Discrimination and Acting president of the University of New York State, presented the awards and citations.

The eight women given citations for outstanding achievement included Mrs. Grace Bamente, personnel manager, Dr. Marie Elizabeth Carpenter, author; Mrs. Helen Evans, president National Council of Women of U. S. Mrs. Eleanor V. Maxwell, Port of New York Authority; Mrs. Lovey Ada Milligan, Volunteer Services; Miss Esther Parham, founder-president of National Beauty Supply; Miss Martha Roundtree, radio and television artist; and Honorable Hilda Schwartz, Magistrate, New York City.

Mrs. Henry Beard Delaney received the mothers' citation for her deep devotion to her family and her laudable work in the church. Mrs. Sadye J. Williams is founder of Women for Achievement, Inc., and a member of the New York State Women's Council and numerous other organizations.

Helen M. Clark, first vice president of the Women for Achievement, Inc., presided during the evening. Carmel Carrington Mar gave the welcoming address.

Dodger is Winner
of Landis Plaque

Campanella put First
on 11 of 24 Ballots
by writers, receives
243 points.

Musial Second with 191.

Irvin and Maglie of Giants
Follow in voting for top
National Loop Player

The Baseball Writers'
Association of America
yesterday voted Roy
Campanella, Dodger catcher,
as the most valuable player
award for 1951 in the
National League. With the
award goes the Kenesaw
Mountain Landis plaque.
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Dr. Bunche Urges Negroes To Fight For Equality Now

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The breakfast was in honor of J. Finley Wilson of Washington, D. C., Grand Exalted Ruler of Elks. Judge Hobson R. Reynolds of Philadelphia served as toastmaster. Dr. Bunche called Wilson a "miracle man" for his great organizational ability. He continued in his speech.

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He said that all people must get behind the United Nations because "there will be eventually no freedom for anybody unless we have a world order based on law against aggression. The Negro people can help promote peace by helping to develop unity in the United States and giving our nation their maxium support."

BUNCHE GIVEN THE LOVEJOY MEDAL

At the Tuesday afternoon session, held at the Technical High School Auditorium Dr. Bunche received the Lovejoy Medal for "outstanding contributions to human progress." The medal, first awarded in 1949, is given annually by the Elks. Wilson announced that the award will be given next year to Branch Rickey for his efforts in "emancipating black athletes."

In his acceptance speech, Bunche pointed out:

"The United States is looked to by the world for leadership. To privide that leadership, we must put our own democratic house in order. The United States must show that American democracy, the greatest design for living ever devised, can be color-blind. It must show that there is no connection whatsoever between an American's worth as a citizen and the color of his skin."

Elk Award To Bunche

BUFFALO — Dr. Ralphe Bunche, this year's winner of the Elks' Lovejoy Medal, a memorial to Elijah Lovejoy, white newspaperman who was lynched in his fight for the franchise for the Negro, called on Negroes to fight for full equality under American democracy, as he addressed a breakfast here attended by more than 1,000. The breakfast honored Grand Exalted Ruler J. Finley Wilson.

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Headliners Club To Honor Albert Hinton

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Albert L. Hinton, associate editor of the Guide on leave to NNPA as a War correspondent, who met his death last July enroute to the Korean Front, will be one of eight war correspodnents to be honored posthumously with Medals of Valor in June. The memory of these men who lost their lives during 1950 will be given homage during the annual frolic of the National Headliners Club in Atlantic City, June 1 and 2.

A. L. Hinton Among 8 To Get Awards

National Headliners Club Gives Medal Of Valor Posthumously

By International News Service

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J. — The memory of eight war correspondents — including Albert L. Hinton of the Journal and Guide — who lost their lives during 1950 will be honored posthumously with the Medal of Valor when the National Headliners Club stages its annual frolic in Atlantic City, June 1 and 2. End LEADALL

The posthumous medals will be presented along with seventeen awards to living newsmen and women for outstanding journalistic achievements during the year. Actual presentation will be made at a luncheon on June.

Sat. 5-19-51

THOSE WHO gave their lives in an effort to bring the news to those back home include: Ray Richards, Frank Emery, and Charles D. Rosecrans Jr., International News Service; Ken Inouye, of Telenews; James Q. Supple, Chicago Sun-Times; William R. Moore, Associated Press; Corp. Ernie Peeler, Stars and Stripes; and Mr. Hinton.

The Headliners Club, which organized in 1933, is composed of men in the newspaper, newsreel, magazine, radio, and television fields. The journalistic achievement awards have been made annually since 1935. The frolic is sponsored by the Press Club of Atlantic City.

Mr. Hinton was associate editor of the Guide and was on leave to the Negro Newspaper Publishers Association as a war correspondent at the time of his death. He was the first Negro war correspondent to be wounded or killed in any war.

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THREE OTHER correspondents were with Mr. Hinton in the Air Force plane when it exploded and crashed in the sea off the coast of Japan when enroute to the Korean front in July, 1950. Mr. Supple was one of the three. The other two represented British and French newspapers.

Of the 25 aboard the plane, all military personnel except for the four correspondents, there was only one survivor, a Neisi (Japanese-American) sergeant.

Reports at the time of the accident were that the plane "crashed" at night. Subsequently, it has been learned that it exploded in flight, possibly as a result of enemy sabotage. No bodies of any of the 24 victims has been recovered to date.

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A TELEVISION station and a magazine were named for awards for the first time in the 17-year history of the National Headliners Club journalism contest.

WFIL-TV of Philadelphia was cited for "consistently outstanding local newsreel for its seven-day-a-week program." Collier's was chosen for "Hiroshima, U. S. A.," an article depicting what might happen if an A-Bomb hit New York.

Commentator Elmer Davis received a Headliner medal for radio news broadcasting, while News-of-the-Day Newsreel won an award in the motion picture newsreel field for its presentation of "Experiments in Brotherhood."

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TOP AWARD in the photographic division went to Henry Ungwersen of the San Francisco Call-Bulletin for the best spot news picture—"The Mask of Fear, the Face of Pain," showing an auto accident victim pinned under a car.

The contests judges also voted April 27 to award posthumously to Korean war correspondents killed in line of duty the Headliner Medal of Valor, created in World War II. Names of those for the awards were announced May 11.

Others named for Headliner awards were:

Ed Reid of the Brooklyn Eagle for his expose of political corruption and rackets.

The Atlanta Journal, public service.

John P. Carmichael of the Chicago Daily News, sports column.

Jack James of United Press, exclusive foreign news story.

C. G. Werner of the Indianapolis Star, editorial cartoons.

Ollie Crawford of the Philadelphia Inquirer, editorial column.

Bob Spiegel of the Des Moines Register and Tribune, domestic series.

Chester S. Davis of the Winston-Salem (N. C.) Journal-Sentinel, Sunday feature page.

Delbert Willis of the Fort Worth (Tex.) Press, coverage of Korean casualties.

J. Veryl Stone of the Cambridge (O.) Daily Jeffersonian, column.

Mathew Zimmerman of Associated Press, sports action picture.

Stan Tretick of Acme Newspictures, feature picture.

Mr. Hinton is the only colored honoree on the list.)

Headliners Cite Albert Hinton

ATLANTIC CITY—(INS)—A valor award for Albert Hinton, pool correspondent for the Negro Newspaper Publisher's association killed enroute to Korea, was accepted last week by Army Secretary Frank Pace to be forwarded to Hinton's family. The National Headliners club also presented posthumous awards to eight other war correspondents killed in Korea.

Dorie Miller Foundation Trophy

DORIE MILLER FOUNDATION TROPHY—Is presented to Lt. (jg) Thomas Hudner, USN, by Lt. D D. Nelson, USN, at elaborate ceremonies in Chicago recently. This is a replica of the larger trophy now held by the U.S. Navy and is the first permanent trophy given by the organization. Left to right are Lieutenant Dennis D. Nelson, USN, Office of information, Navy Department, Washington, D. C., Mrs. Posie Matthew, Pres. War Mothers Unit 129, Mrs. Anna Finn, Pres. State of Illinois War Mothers, Lieutenant (jg) Thomas J. Hudner, USN and Elmer L. Fowler, Pres. Dorie Miller Foundation, Chicago, Illinois.

FOR THEIR CONTRIBUTIONS to better human relations in every day living Dr. Mary McLeod Bethune and Cornelia Otis Skinner, (center) were presented with National Human Relations awards Thursday. The presentations to the renowned educator and the brilliant author and dramatist were made at the sixth annual Spring luncheon of the Chicago Women's Division, National Conference of Christians and Jews in the Gold Room of the Congress hotel. Others in photo (from left) Mrs. U. Grant Dailey, co-chairman of the luncheon committee; Mrs. Monroe Pfaelzer, general chairman; Dr. L. K. Bishop, vice president and mid-west director of the National Conference and Mrs. G. Corson Ellis, chairman of the Women's Division.

NCCJ Honors Dr. Bethune At Fund Luncheon; Dramatist Also Cited

CHICAGO — National Human Relations Awards were presented Thursday to Cornelia Otis Skinner, author and dramatist, and Dr. Mary McLeod Bethune, founder and president of Bethune-Cookman college, for their contributions to better human relations in everyday living.

The occasion was the sixth annual spring luncheon of the Chicago Women's Division of the National Conference of Christians and Jews, held in the Gold Room of the Congress hotel.

Presentations were made by Dr. Everett R. Clinchy of New York, president of the National Conference.

In accepting the citation Miss Skinner commended the National Conference for its efforts to tear down racial and religious barriers which are a breeding ground for communism.

"We can't sit back and assume that in time prejudice will cure itself," she declared. "The National Conference is one of America's great organizations because it realizes that the ugly blot of prejudice must be wiped off the bright escutcheon of our country if we are to take our place in the world as a real democracy."

"We must not only stop talking of people in categories," Miss Skinner told the audience, "but we must stop thinking in such ignorant terms. We must urge this attitude — and I say urge because we can't do anything in anger — in our neighbors, in our community and especially in our children, because prejudice starts when people are young, and once it gets into the blood stream it's almost impossible to cure."

It is very important, the actress and authoress added, that we don't lose our sense of humor, that we don't become so dedicated that we become intolerant ourselves.

"An Irishman," she said, "shouldn't take offense at a humorous story about the Pope. A Jew shouldn't try to ban the showing of the film "Oliver Twist." A Negro shouldn't object to that delightful children's story, "Little Black Sambo." If we allow ourselves to be carried away we may do more harm than good.

"We can go forward together in this great work," Miss Skinner declared, "in the spirit of that great Jew who is worshipped by all Christians and honored by all Jews — and do unto others as we would have them do unto us."

Dr. Bethune, who also founded the National Council of Negro Women and served as director of the division of Negro affairs of the National Youth Administration, declared that "our highest obligation to our children is to give them the heritage of the open mind — of understanding.

"Our children," she said, "whether they belong to the non-white majority of the world or to the non-colored majority of the United States — whether they are growing up in families of the laboring majority or of the managing minority — must have understanding based on real knowledge, on courageous evaluations and on sacrificial decisions."

Practical brotherhood, the educator said, calls for a high quality of courage.

"It is for us now," she declared, "to wrap ourselves in that courage which will break the remaining bars open — fully and for all time — the doors of equal opportunity and spiritual growth, to every American citizen and to the American-minded who seek shelter on our shores.

"It is for us of all colors and nationalities and religions to cease erecting barriers to further separate us from each other — to cease accepting such barriers.'

Mrs. Monroe Pfaelzer served as chairman of the luncheon, which culminated the annual women's fund drive. Mrs. G. Corson Ellis is chairman of the Women's Division.

Mrs. Mary Bethune and Cornelia Otis Skinner Win Human Relations Awards

CHICAGO. — (ANP) — Mrs. Mary McLeod Bethune, one of America's great women leaders, and Miss Cornelia Otis Skinner, witty author and stage actress, last week were honored national human relations awards.

Presenting awards to these two women at its sixth annual spring luncheon was the Chicago Women's Division of the National Conference of Christians and Jews.

This organization honored them in the Gold Room of the Congress hotel for their contributions to better human relations in every-day living. Dr. Everett R. Clinchy of New York, president of the National Conference, presented the awards.

Both ladies in accepting their awards gave talks on what could be done to break down racial and religious barriers in America.

Mrs. Bethune said in part:

"We have not yet achieved brotherhood because we have not yet worked hard enough at understanding our fellow man.

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"Page One Awards" To Be Made

Nationally Known Figures Slated To Appear On Program

DURHAM, N. C. — The Du ham Press Club will prese Congressman William L. Da son, of Illinois, as guest speak er during the club's third an nual "Page One Awards" pro gram to be held here Friday night, July 27, at Hillside High School Auditorium.

Three awards will be given this year. They will go to Dr. C. C. Spaulding, president of the Mechanics and Farmers' Bank and the North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Co.; Conrad O. Pearson, chairman, North Carolina Legal Redress Committee of the NAACP; and Lt. Ellison Wynn, winner of the Distinguished Service Cross for conspicuous bravery in the Korean zone.

The star-studded program of the three year old Press Club that gave its first award to Judge William H. Hastie, will present this year a series of nationally known figures, including Judge Hastie and Assistant Secretary of Defense, Dan K. Edwards. Secretary Edwards is a former mayor of Durham. He has been invited to present Lt. Wynn's citation from the Durham Press Club.

LT. WYNN, a native of Greensboro and long time resident of Durham, commanded a mixed unit of whites and Negroes during some of the bitterest Korean fighting. His exploits were officially recorded by Army historians as "among the bravest on record."

Pearson has been for 20 years in the forefront of the legal battle to get equal graduate and professional opportunities for Negroes.

Dr. Spaulding, an internationally known religious, civic, and business leader will be honored in his home city for the first time on a large scale.

The Durham Press Club is composed of newspapermen working in the Old North State.

Newsmen Cite Spaulding

DURHAM, N. C.—The Durham Press club headed by L. E. Austin, announced this week that Dr. C. C. Spaulding has been chosen as the winner of its Page One award this year.

Clara Pitts Memorial Award

Chest at 93.7; Negro Leader Given Award

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An additional $5,541 in contributions received at Community Chest headquarters Tuesday sent total pledges and contributions in Greater Atlanta's Red Feather drive to $1,438,980 for 93.7 percent of the $1,534,833 goal.

Meanwhile, the Negro Division held a victory dinner at the Butler Ctreet YMCA to celebrate the division's accomplishment in raising $48,687 for 108.8 percent of its quota.

L. D. Milton, president of the Citizens Bank & Trust Company, who has headed the Negro Division for the past three years, received the Clara Pitts Memorial Award for his leadership. Under Milton's guidance, the Negro Division has exceeded its quota for each of the three years and nearly trebled its contributions to the chest from $19,000 in 1949 to this year's total of $48,687. The group raised $1,326 after the chest deadline Friday when they had already exceeded their goal.

The Memorial is a newly-established award in Atlanta's Negro community to go to that person who contributes most to the welfare of the community through the chest. It will not be awarded every year but only for outstanding achievement. Milton was the first recipient. The presentation was made by A. T. Walden, president of the Atlanta Urban League.

While the Negro Division hailed its success, Red Feather campaign leaders planned to meet Thursday at the Biltmore Hotel in an effort to push the drive on toward 100 percent completion.

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TED POSTON-(Reporter, New York Post)
NAACP Plaque

Ted Poston Honored By New York NAACP

New York, Dec. 13—Honoring Ted Poston, star reporter of the New York **Post**, the New York branch of the NAACP presented a plaque to him "for journalistic achievement in the service of true democracy." The presentation was made at a mass meeting here last week.

In response to the presentation made by Dr. C. B. Powell, publisher of the New York **Amsterdam News**, Mr. Poston praised the work of the NAACP in battering down the barriers of segregation and discrimination. Also speaking was Walter White, NAACP executive secretary, who recalled the valiant work Mr. Poston had done in reporting the Groveland, Fla., case, the Cicero riot, and the Josephine Baker-Stork Club case. "Ted Poston," he said, "is a crusading newspaperman in the great tradition of Lincoln Steffens and Heywood Broun."

Other speakers included Dr. Marguerite Cartwright, who, on the basis of a recent trip to Europe, reported on reactions abroad to the Negro and to race relations in this country; Lindsay White, president of the branch; and Judge Hubert De[illegible], member of the national N. A. A. C. P. board of directors, who presided.

Russwurm Awards— Julius A. Thomas, left, of the National Urban League, and Thurgood S. Marshall, right, chief NAACP counsel, receive Russwurm Awards from Newspaper Publishers Association at Freedom House, New York City. Frank Stanley, center, Louisville, Ky., made the presentations for the association.

INTERNATIONAL SINGING SENSATION — Miss Mattiwilda Dobbs, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Wesley Dobbs of Houston Street, placed first Tuesday in an international music competition which drew the top talent from many countries. Miss Dobbs will be featured attraction in a Sunday broadcast on an international hook-up in which all place winners will demonstrate their talents.

Miss Dobbs Given Top Singing Award

BY CHESTER H. HAMPTON
(Special To The Atlanta Daily World

Atlanta's Miss Mattiwilda Dobbs took first honors Tuesday in a giant, international singing competition held in Geneva, Switzerland. The sparkling coloratura soprano, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Wesley Dobbs, won in competition with over eighty entrants from many countries.

Miss Dobbs plans, after mammoth musical festival to be held on Sunday, October 7, to join famed La Scala Opera School and Company in Milan, Italy. The Sunday program will be broadcast on an international hook-up and will feature all musicians who placed in the competition.

In going to La Scala, Miss Dobbs will be following in the footsteps of last year's first place winner, Miss Nell Rankin of Mongomery, Alabama who, after a year in Milan and Vienna, was signed by the Metropolitan Opera Company.

The contest was run in a series of eliminations starting September 24. The musicians were judged sight unseen, being behind curtains where the judges could sense nothing but their performances.

On September 25, Miss Dobbs was 'passed" from the quarter-finals to he semi-finals on September 30. Then, on October 2, Miss Dobbs led he field in the finals to become the ear's biggest singing sensation in the world.

According to a news service report, Miss Dobbs won the competition while gingerly balanced on a severely sprained ankle suffered a few days before. The accident, occuring after she qualified in the first eliminations, came when she was tripped by a curbstone.

Through her considerable talent combined with intensive study and hard work, Miss Dobbs has acquired the winning habit. In 1946, she won the Marian Anderson Award. She won a scholarship to Manne's School of that Opera in N. Y. and attended during the years 1948 and 1949.

In 1949, she won the Boston Symphony Orchestra's scholarship for summer study at the famed Berkershire Music Festival held in Lennox Masachusetts.

Her European study came after she won in 1950 ,three thousand dollar John Hay Whitney Award for a year's study. She went to Paris to study under Pierre Bernac, internationally-known tenor and operatic coach.

At the conclusion of her Paris study earlier this year, she went to Barcelona, Spain for the summer. There she was joined by her sister, Miss June Dobbs, a member of the Fisk University faculty. The two young ladies returned to Paris and also visited England.

Miss Mattiwilda Dobbs, during the summer, gave recitals at Amsterdam, the Hague and in Luxembourg It was in Luxembourg that she was urged, after having rendered a concert, to sign up for the international contest.

Miss Dobb's "Piece de resistance" is Mozart's difficulty "Abduction from the Seraglio." In the competition, she was required also to sing other numbers especially selected by the judges.

Also in the competition was Miss Leonora LaFayette of Baton Rouge, Louisiana. A Fisk graduate, her career has parallelled that of Miss Dobbs in many respects. Prior to was a member of the opera company of Basel, Switzerland singing the taxing title role of Verdi's "Aida."

Despite her own tremendous efforts, Miss Dobbs gives lavish credit to the people who have coached and encouraged her. One of the first of these was Professor Willis Laurence James of Spelman College. She also has studied considerably under Mme. Lotte Leonard of New York who also joined her in Spain this summer.

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Spingarn Award

Mrs. Mabel Staupers Wins Spingarn Medal

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NEW YORK—The 36th Spingarn medal, awarded annually to a Negro American for distinguished achievement, will be presented this year to Mrs. Mabel Keaton Staupers for "spearheading the successful movement to integrate Negro nursse into American life as equals."

Announcement of the award was made recently by Dr. Louis T. Wright, chairman of the board of directors of the NAACP, following a meeting of the award committee.

For many years, Mrs. Staupers was executive secretary and later, president of the National Association of Colored Graduate Nurses, an organization which disbanded early this year because it had achieved its primary objective of integrating Negro nurses in the profession.

The award will be presented to Mrs. Staupers on June 28 in Atlanta, during the 42nd annual convention of the NAACP. Mrs. Staupers will be the fourth woman to receive this award, established by Joel E. Spingarn in 1914.

Other women medalists include the late Mary B. Talbert, 1922; Mrs. Mary McLeod Bethune, 1935; and Miss Marian Anderson, 1939.

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Superior Service Award - (Federal Security Administration)
Dr. Roscoe C. Brown

Dr. Brown Wins Second Highest FSA Award

WASHINGTON. — (ANP) — Dr. Roscoe C. Brown, health education consultant, of the United States Public Health Service, was one of the three officials of the Federal Security Administration to receive the Superior Service Award last Thursday.

The Superior Service Award, which is the second highest honor to be given by FSA, was presented to Dr. Brown for exceptional service of unusual value beyond that ordinarily required in the fields of health, education, security or administration.

Others who received the silver medal along with Dr. Brown were Dr. Elias Elvove and Alston G. Gutterson, both white. The highest Federal Security Award, a gold medal, known as the "Distinguished Service Award," went to Dr. Paul D. Dunbar for "notable outstanding contribution in the fields of health, education, security or administration."

Thirty others received citations and honor pins for having been in the service as a government employee for more than 40 years. The only Negro in this group was William H. Burrell, collection manager at Freedmen's hospital.

Burrell, who has actually been in government service for 46 years said: "I appreciated the fact that I have been honored for my long service with the United States Government. I have enjoyed being associated with my co-workers throughout the years."

The awards were made by Administrator Oscar R. Ewing, who recognized the need of honoring loyal government workers in these times when criticism is heaped upon public servants.

In presenting the award to Dr. Brown, the Administrator referred to him as a "trail blazer," then added that many persons and groups have benefitted by the work which he has done in health education.

Dr. Brown was graduated from the College of Dentistry of Howard university in 1906 and has studied at Columbia and Harvard.

His experience included service as a consultant to the army on health problems during World War I, and as director of the division of venereal disease in the Public Health Service.

Dr. Brown is the husband of Mrs. Vivian Kemp Brown and the father of two children. A son, Roscoe Conkling Jr., is a graduate in health and physical education from Springfield college in Massachusetts, and received his Masters from the New York University where he is now a member of the faculty.

The daughter, Portia Jeannette, who received her education at Radcliffe college at Cambridge, Mass., and Howard university, is now a technician in a medical diagnostic laboratory in Washington.

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Tamiment Institute Award

ETHEL WATERS HONORED

Actress Receives the Tamiment Award for Autobiography

Special to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

TAMIMENT, Pa. Aug. 2—Ethel Waters, actress, who wrote an autobiography, "His Eye Is on the Sparrow," received tonight the annual Tamiment Institute Award for an outstanding literary work. Louis Waldman, New York Attorney and member of the institute's board, presented a scroll and check for $500 to Miss Waters at Camp Tamiment.

Mr. Waldman said that Miss Waters' story of her life is an "inspiration and a challenge for all Americans." It refutes, he added, the argument that opportunity no longer exists in this country. The author said the book was a record of her life "as God planned it."

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Mark Twain Society Merit of Award

Dr. Stella Brookes Given Mark Twain Society Award

Dr. Stella B. Brookes Professor of English at Clark College, Atlanta,

DR. STELLA BROOKES

Georgia, has been elected to honorary membership in the International Mark Twain Society and has received the Society's merit of award. This honor conferred in recognition of outstanding literary contributions, has come to Dr. Brookes in recognition of the worth of her year old book, "Joel Chandler Harris, Folklorist," released by the University of Georgia Press.

The Society's honorary membership includes such distinguished writers as Eugene O'Neil T. S Eliot, Robert Frost and Edna Ferber and is headed by Cyril Clemens, relative of Mark Twain.

Dr. Brookes' book has ben the subject of much favorable comment. "The Yale Review" listed it as one of the notable books of 1950. "The Saturday Review of Literature," "Journal of American Folklore," "American Literature," "The New York Folklore Quarterly" "English Journal" and "North Carolina Historical Review" are among the scholarly journals which commented upon its worth. Newspaper reviews have appeared in "The New York Times," "The St. Louis Post- Dispatch," "The New York Herald-Tribune," "The Los Angeles Times" "The Washington Post" "The Atlanta Journal-Constitution," "The Houston Post" "The New Orleans Times-Picayune," "The Austin American-Statesman" and other prominent newspapers.

WINS DUAL HONOR — Professor of English at Clark college, Atlanta, Ga., Dr. Stella B. Brooks has been elected to honorary membership in the International Mark Twain society and has received the society's merit award. Conferred in recognition of outstanding literary contributions the honor came to Dr. Brooks in recognition of the book, "Joel Chandler Harris, Folklorist."

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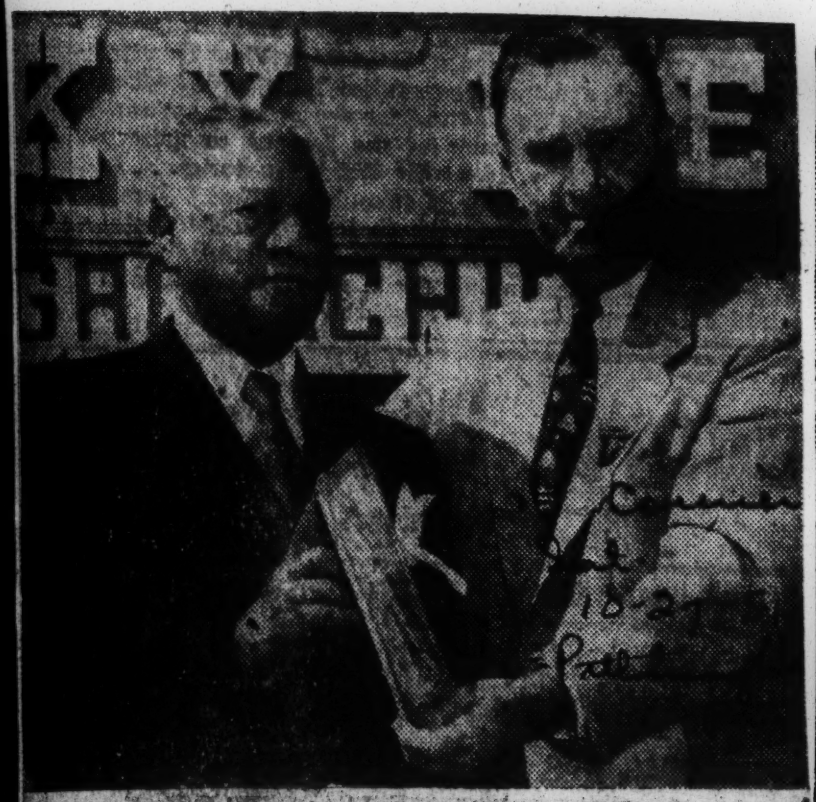
Dr.J.E. Walker
Siler Plaque-"Outstanding Achievement in the field of Human Relations"



DR. WALKER CITED—Dr. J. E. Walker, Memphis, Tenn., left, president of the Universal Life Insurance Company and the Tri-State Bank of Memphis, receives a sterling silver plaque from James Stewart, vice president and general manager of the Texas State Fair at Dallas, Tex., which was presented to Mr. Walker at the third annual fair for "outstanding achievement in the field of human relations." Dr. Walker later presented awards to sixteen 4-H farm winners at the fair.

VINS STATE FAIR AWARD.—Dr. J. E. Walker, left, president of the Universal Life Insurance company and the Tri-State bank of Memphis, Tenn., is shown with the sterling silver plaque presented to him by James Stewart, vice president and general manager of the State Fair of Texas in the third annual State Fair award for "outstanding achievement in the field of human relations." Dr. Walker, after his speech of acceptance, presented awards to sixteen farm youth winners of Texas 4-H clubs, NFA and NHA.

Religious Notes

Prof. W. Davis Presented 1951 John L. Webb Award

PROF. W. L. DAVIS, prominent layman of Houston, Texas, was honored as the outstanding layman of the year at a fellowship banquet held in Oklahoma City. The distinguished service award is given each year by the National Baptist Laymen's Movement to the layman doing the most outstanding piece of work in his church or community in the field of Christian Education and general uplift work. The ceremonies attracted a large audience as laymen each year over the nation in Baptist churches vie for the John L. Webb Distinguished Service Award. Dr. Marshall Shepherd, Washington, D. C., United States Registrar of Deeds, was the guest speaker. Dr. E. Gayle, New Orleans, Executive Secretary, 'Laymen's Movement, was also a speaker on the program.

ficer in the Antioch B. C., was presented a distinguished service award for the most outstanding work in church and community life done by a Baptist Layman for the year of 1951. The presentation was made by the National Baptist Laymen Movement in its Annual Session at Oklahoma City, Okla.

W. L. Davis Gets Laymen's Award

OKLAHOMA CITY—(ANP)—The 1951 John L. Webb Distinguished Service Award last week was awarded to W. L. Davis, prominent layman of Houston. Tex.

The National Baptist Laymen's Movement each year gives the award to the layman who has done the most outstanding work in his church or community in the field of Christian education.

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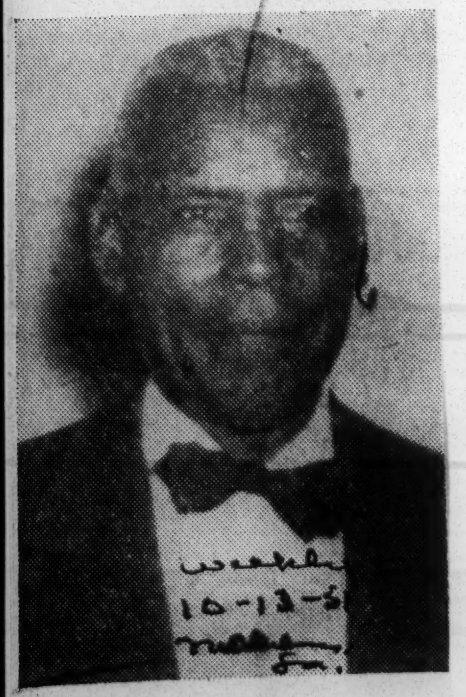

Prof. W. L. Davis (pictured above) of Houston, Texas, an of-